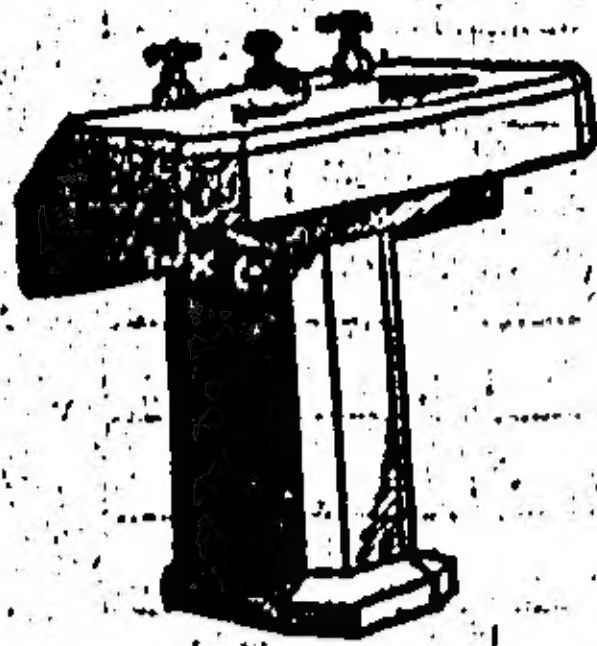


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## GRAPHIC STORY OF GIANT SIKORSKY SMASH



Admiral F. B. Upham, new commander-in-chief of the U.S. Asiatic Fleet, who arrives in Hongkong from Canton to tomorrow aboard the U.S.S. Isabel.

**PRESIDENT AND DOLLAR**  
**STRONG STABILISATION RUMOURS**  
**GOLD POLICY TO CONTINUE**

New York, Nov. 24.  
President Roosevelt has let it be known definitely in a communication from Warm Springs that he has no intention, despite rumours to the contrary, of changing his gold control programme.

The American dollar improved appreciably to-day, its strength being attributed to expectations of early stabilisation, based upon the fact that the domestic gold price has not been changed for the fourth successive day.

There is also better understanding of President Roosevelt's monetary policy, which is having a steadying effect and giving greater confidence.

**EARLY STABILISATION.**  
Circles closely associated with the Federal Reserve Bank indignantly repudiate the suggestion that the Federal Reserve Board has been opposing the Treasury's support of United States Government bonds.

Some Democratic quarters anticipate stabilisation of the dollar at a somewhat lower exchange value than at present rules, with an early return to the gold standard on the new basis.

**"BOLONEY DOLLAR."**

Mr. Al Smith, former Governor of New York, ex-candidate for the Presidency, is the latest recruit to the ranks of opponents of President Roosevelt's monetary policy.

He declares for a return to the gold standard.

"I am for a gold dollar against the boloney dollars," he said to-day.—*Reuter*.

**LANCASHIRE AND JAPAN**

**CHALLENGE IN COMMONS**

London, Nov. 24.  
All Lancashire M.P.'s have indicated their intention of supporting a motion which Mr. A. E. G. Fuller, the Conservative member for the Ardwick Division of Manchester, is to move in the Commons on the 29th inst. in regard to Japanese competition in cotton goods.

The motion will demand the abrogation of the Anglo-Japanese Trade Agreement and the restriction of Japanese trade competition in Britain, either by high tariffs or embargoes.—*Reuter*.

### Passengers' Miraculous Escape From Death

## PLANE WRECKED COMPLETELY

**TURNS OVER THREE TIMES AFTER STRIKING MOUNTAINSIDE**

### COUNTESS CARLISLE'S INJURIES

SHANGHAI, NOV. 25.

IT IS NOW CLEAR THAT THE OCCUPANTS OF THE CANTON-BOUND GIANT SIKORSKY FLYING-BOAT WHICH CRASHED ON CHUSHAN ISLAND YESTERDAY MORNING HAD WONDERFUL ESCAPES.

Exports are still puzzled that no fatalities occurred. As soon as first news of the smash reached Shanghai air officials, long before it became widely known, rescue planes were sent out.

They soon discovered the wreckage of the machine—it was a complete wreck—and returned to Shanghai reporting that they were convinced that all the occupants had been killed.

As a matter of fact only two, the Countess of Carlisle and a Chinese passenger had been at all seriously injured.

Examination of the Countess revealed two broken ankles and minor injuries. She was badly shaken by the crash, but is positively in no danger.

Mr. William Ehmers, one of the American pilots, also suffered two broken ankles.

It is understood that this was one of the first flights on the Shanghai-Canton air route on which passengers were permitted to be carried.

### FULL LIST OF THE VICTIMS

The escape from death of the Countess of Carlisle and the other occupants of the giant Sikorsky was almost miraculous.

The plane took off from Shanghai at 6.15 a.m. but returned to the aerodrome on account of the dense fog experienced soon after leaving, and then re-started on the southward trip at eight a.m.

**HIT MOUNTAINSIDE.**

The crash occurred half an hour later, the plane hitting the mountainside on Chushan Island.

It turned over and over three times before coming to a halt a complete wreck. It was extremely lucky that it did not take fire.

The German passenger, Mr. Schaeffer, was the first to crawl out of the wreckage.

All were variously injured, but thought was first paid to the Countess of Carlisle, the only woman aboard, who had suffered the most serious injuries.

The other occupants, despite their own hurts, made her as comfortable as possible. A junk then conveyed the party to Chapi, its pitching causing the injured acute discomfort.

**AMBULANCE AT MINGHONG.**

At Chapi, friendly Chinese assisted the injured persons ashore and put them aboard motor-buses, which speeded for thirty miles over bumpy roads to Minghong, where the Countess of Carlisle was transferred to an ambulance and rushed to hospital, the others being conveyed there later.

Lady Carlisle's first visitor was Sir Victor Sassoon, who in an interview with *Reuter's* representative at one o'clock this morning, said he had just left the Countess of Carlisle, who was now

resting as comfortably as the circumstances permitted, and was very cheerful despite her broken ankles, and bruises all over the body.

He mentioned that her forehead had been cut, requiring stitches.

**READING THE PAPER.**

The Countess went aboard the Sikorsky with a thermos of coffee. She was reading a newspaper leisurely. The next thing she knew, she was lying on the ground with a man, Mr. Lincoln Reynolds, the U.S. Consul at Foochow, groaning over her.

The other occupants said that the Countess was worried more about them than herself. She particularly sympathised with the chief pilot, an American Army aviator during the war, Mr. George Rumill, as this was his first crash.

**THE PASSENGERS.**

The seven passengers aboard the ill-fated Sikorsky have now been identified as:

The Countess of Carlisle, niece of Sir Miles Lampson, the British Minister in China.

Mr. Lincoln Reynolds, U.S. Consul in Foochow.

Mr. K. Schaeffer, the talpan of the German firm of Kunst and Albers, Shanghai.

Mr. Yang Zung-wo, of Wenchow.

Mr. M. H. Yang, the Commissioner of Customs at Wenchow.

Mr. S. F. Chang, the manager of the Foochow Motor Sales Company.

Mr. Conrad Hau, of the Asia Electric Company, Shanghai.

The Countess of Carlisle was intending to visit Hongkong and South China, afterwards proceeding to England.



The giant Sikorsky flying boat which crashed on Chushan Island yesterday, the nine occupants having wonderful escapes from death. The plane was completely wrecked and turned over on the mountainside three times.

### EDUCATION CHANGES

**NEW HEADMASTER OF C.B.S.**

**MR. J. RALSTON**

In consequence of retirements, etc., several changes are impending in the Hongkong Education Department.

These are understood to include the appointment of Mr. Ralston, M.A. (Glasgow) as Headmaster of the Central British School, in succession to Mr. G. Franklin Nightingale, who, together with Mrs. Nightingale, also on the staff of the Central British School, is believed to be retiring very shortly.

Mr. Ralston arrived in the Colony in 1914 as an assistant master and during his service here he has held several headmasterships, including those of the Ellis Kadoorie Indian School, the Ellis Kadoorie School and Wanchai School. He has also acted as Inspector of Schools and been Secretary of the Board of Education.

Mr. Nightingale and his wife joined the Education Department in 1917, the former as assistant master. He was later made Headmaster of Yau-mat School and took over charge of the Central British School in 1923.

### COMM. SETTLE SAFE

**LANDS ON FARM IN NEW JERSEY**

It is learned through the United Press that Lieut. Commander T. G. W. Settle and his companion, Major Chester Fordney, who were reported to be missing after reaching an altitude of 58,000 feet, landed safely on a farm half a mile from Bayside, New Jersey.

They were discovered at ten o'clock in the morning after a State-wide search had been instituted and planes had been sent out to search for them over the Atlantic.

### SMALL FIRE IN KOWLOON

**PROMPT ARRIVAL OF BRIGADE**

A small fire broke out this morning in a tailor's shop in Messrs. Sherry and Company's premises in Hankow Road.

The alarm brought fire appliances from Kowloon and Mongkok and the outbreak was over within five minutes.

### BRITISH CRUISER SETS RECORD

**New Type's Performance on Test Run**

London, Nov. 24.  
Steaming an average of 28 1/2 knots, the new 7,000-ton British cruiser Achilles put up a record for a voyage from Gibraltar to Portland, which was covered in 39 hours.

The maximum speed attained was 32 1/2 knots.—*Reuter*.

### BID FOR SOUTH AMERICAN TRADE

**CORDELL HULL'S TOUR**

**AN ECONOMIC PLAN**

Rio de Janeiro, Nov. 24.  
Mr. Cordell Hull, the United States Secretary of State, on his goodwill tour of South America, preparatory to the Pan-American Conference at Montevideo, made a plea for all American States to help this "topsy-turvy" civilization, in the course of an interview to-day.

Mr. Hull said that the Montevideo Conference would afford the opportunity, would give the American peoples a chance of showing whether they could devise an international plan of economic reform.

Even if they only sketched the general lines of such a plan they would lay the foundation of real progress.

He added: "The nations of America ought to have a passion for peace. We know now that it is madness to let world wars bring famine and despair to whole populations. Let the American nations point the way."—*Reuter*.

### LI CHAI-SUM ON SECRET MISSION

**REPORTED RUSH JOURNEY TO SEE KWANGSI LEADERS**

Something of a sensation has been caused by a report from Chinese sources that Marshal Li Chai-sum, who hurriedly left Foochow on Monday after attending the Government inauguration meeting, in which he was appointed Chairman of war, is now in Kwangsi.

He left Foochow, it is stated, on Monday afternoon for Changchow by aeroplane, and proceeded the same day to Amoy by motor car to board a steamer for Hongkong, arriving here on Thursday.

His arrival was not known to even his closest friends. It is understood that Li Chai-sum is on an important mission, the success or otherwise of which may mean a world of difference to the future of the independence movement.

On Thursday afternoon, Marshal Li left Hongkong for Wuchow on a Hongkong-Wuchow steamer to confer, it is believed with Generals Li Chung-yan and Poi Chung-hai. The obvious inference is that he is seeking a Fukien-Kwangsi alliance.

## GERMANY NOT A TARGET

**BRILLIANT SIMON SPEECH IN COMMONS**

**BRITAIN'S POLICIES**

LONDON, NOV. 24.

SUGGESTIONS THAT THE POWERS SHOULD PROCEED WITH THE DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE IN THE ABSENCE OF GERMANY, COMPLETE A CONVENTION AND PRESENT IT TO GERMANY AS THE CONSIDERED FINDING OF THE REST OF THE WORLD, WERE SCOUTED BY SIR JOHN SIMON IN AN IMPORTANT REVIEW OF THE WHOLE PROBLEM IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS TO-NIGHT.

Germany, he said, was not a target for dictation. She was a partner in the discussion. Her withdrawal complicated the situation, but made no difference to Britain's resolve to persuade her to enter again into friendly discussions.

### DISARMAMENT FIELD SURVEYED

Sir John Simon summed up British policy in the following sentences. Firstly, the adjournment of the Conference did not mean an adjournment of the work for disarmament. It meant the opposite. The British Government intended that this period of suspension should be devoted, without delay and without intermission, to an exchange of views between individual Governments, in order to prepare the ground on which the Conference could resume its work—ground which at present had been so fatally interfered with by Germany's withdrawal.

Secondly, how those exchanges of views could best be carried on must depend on circumstances. In the first instance, the British Government considered that those exchanges should be conducted through diplomatic channels in the form of bilateral conversations.

**HITLER'S ASSURANCE.**

Thirdly, we welcomed the assurance of Herr Hitler that Germany's one desire is for peace, and that she has no aggressive designs.

Fourthly, we hope that Germany also has her contribution to make in order to render general disarmament possible in practice, and we hope that as the outcome of the exchange of views which are now going to be undertaken, it will be found possible to translate those assurances into such concrete shape as will help to build up that international security which is an indispensable condition to disarmament.

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abroad, that notwithstanding the withdrawal the Conference should go on as if nothing had happened, with a view to framing an agreed Convention which should then be tendered to the absentees or absentees, with invitation or demand that they should sign it.

**WRONG METHOD.**

Apart from the practicability of that procedure, which could only be carried out if they were reasonably sure they were going to get every State in agreement, he questioned the wisdom of such procedure and could imagine none more likely to drive iron into Germany's soul than to suggest that Germany's withdrawal made no difference, and, for the rest, to formulate a document and request Germany to sign on the dotted line.

The object was to bring about a general agreement. The only way to reach it was by negotiation, and not by the method of shots at long range. Germany was not a target for dictation. She was partner in the discussion. The fact that she had seen fit to withdraw to a distance greatly complicated the difficult question of immediate procedure, but made

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### SIGNIFICANT ROME CONVERSATIONS

**M. Avenol to Extend His Stay**

Rome, Nov. 24.  
Although no statement was issued after a fifty minutes' talk between M. Avenol, Secretary-General of the League, with Signor Mussolini, it is very significant that M. Avenol has decided to stay in Rome until Sunday.

The opinion is current that the conversations proceeding relate to the future of the League of Nations and the coming disarmament talks.—*Reuter*.

### PRINCE GEORGE ACCEPTS

**OFFICIAL VISIT TO ANGOLA**

London, Nov. 24.

H.R.H. Prince George, with the approval of H.M. the King, has accepted the Portuguese Government's invitation conveyed through the Portuguese Ambassador, to pass through Angola on his way back to England from South Africa, and to attend an official reception there.—*British Wireless*.



# QUEEN'S

## MURDERS IN THE ZOO



Terror-Swept  
Epic of a Mon-  
ster More Sav-  
age Than the  
Beasts He  
Caged!

COMING  
SHORTLY

with  
**CHARLIE RUGGLES**  
**LIONEL ATWILL**  
KATHLEEN BURKE (The Further Shores)  
RANDOLPH SCOTT • JOHN LODGE  
GAIL PATRICK  
A Paramount Picture

He Sewed a Man's Lips  
Together for Daring to  
Look at His Wife With  
Eyes of Love! What  
Nameless Horror Did  
He Reserve for the Man  
Who Took Her  
From Him?



## THE WORLD OF WOMEN



### NECKLINE STYLES ARE HIGH THIS AUTUMN

Throats Are Covered by Formal Clothes Now,  
as Well as by Afternoon Attire

BY JOAN SAVOY

High-styled girls take kindly to the high-necked modes this autumn.

Besides appearing suave and chic, there is something about a dress with a smart high neck which gives a woman that certain something—otherwise defined as self-confidence.

Whether you take your high necklines plain or with a tiny turned-down collar, or with a pert little bow tied under your chin, you're going to like them.

Time was when high necklines went hand in hand with street or sports things. Nowadays, you go to tea, dinner, and to formal functions with your throat, no matter how lovely it may be, well covered up.

Here's a lovely informal afternoon frock of Schiaparelli blue in petit point crepe. It's the kind of a dress which will make your bridge hostess more than glad that she included you in the party. And your luncheon host will be sure to fumble for a pencil to mark you down as a sure partner for further dates.

With its high little collar and crisp bow, it follows closely the mode for higher necklines. The vestee of self material, collar and epaulettes are all cartridge pleated. The epaulettes stand out in intriguing manner over the little circular caps which top the modified log-o-mutton sleeves.

Two seams from the waist to the hem make the softly circular skirt gracefully mold the hips. It is a medium, just-below-the-knee length, making it ideal for all-around-afternoon wear, with or without a coat.

An interesting gold buckle fastens the soft belt and does much to add to the attractiveness of the frock.



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### YOUR CHILDREN

By Olive Roberts Barton

Too often parents have the idea that children may be kept happy by excitement.

"Excitement" is just what it says—exciting or stimulating the senses. The nerves of sight, taste, hearing, touch or smell, by the way, are not the only channels by which we get pleasure—far from it.

Our emotional fibres are as complicated as the electrical viscera of a robot. As we have a thousand kinds of "feelings" we respond to ten thousand excitements.

#### Effect of Stimulation

To keep ourselves constantly stimulated gives pleasure, of

course—we like to eat sweets for instance, rather than bread. Or we would rather hear music than the soft splash of a waterfall. To see a movie has much more punch than to look at a hayfield. To dance is more exciting to our nerves of rhythm than to walk down the street to buy groceries.

"We could go on, but make your own comparisons.

Nerves do not long respond to the same stimulus, but nerves once started do demand new and more stimulus. Excitement wears off, but the hunger for it lasts. In time even that wears away and we find hundreds of young folk half dead with boredom. The symptoms of this are broken tempers, pouting faces, and a decided tendency toward disobedience. Disobedience is often just one more way to find a thrill, to the fed-up child.

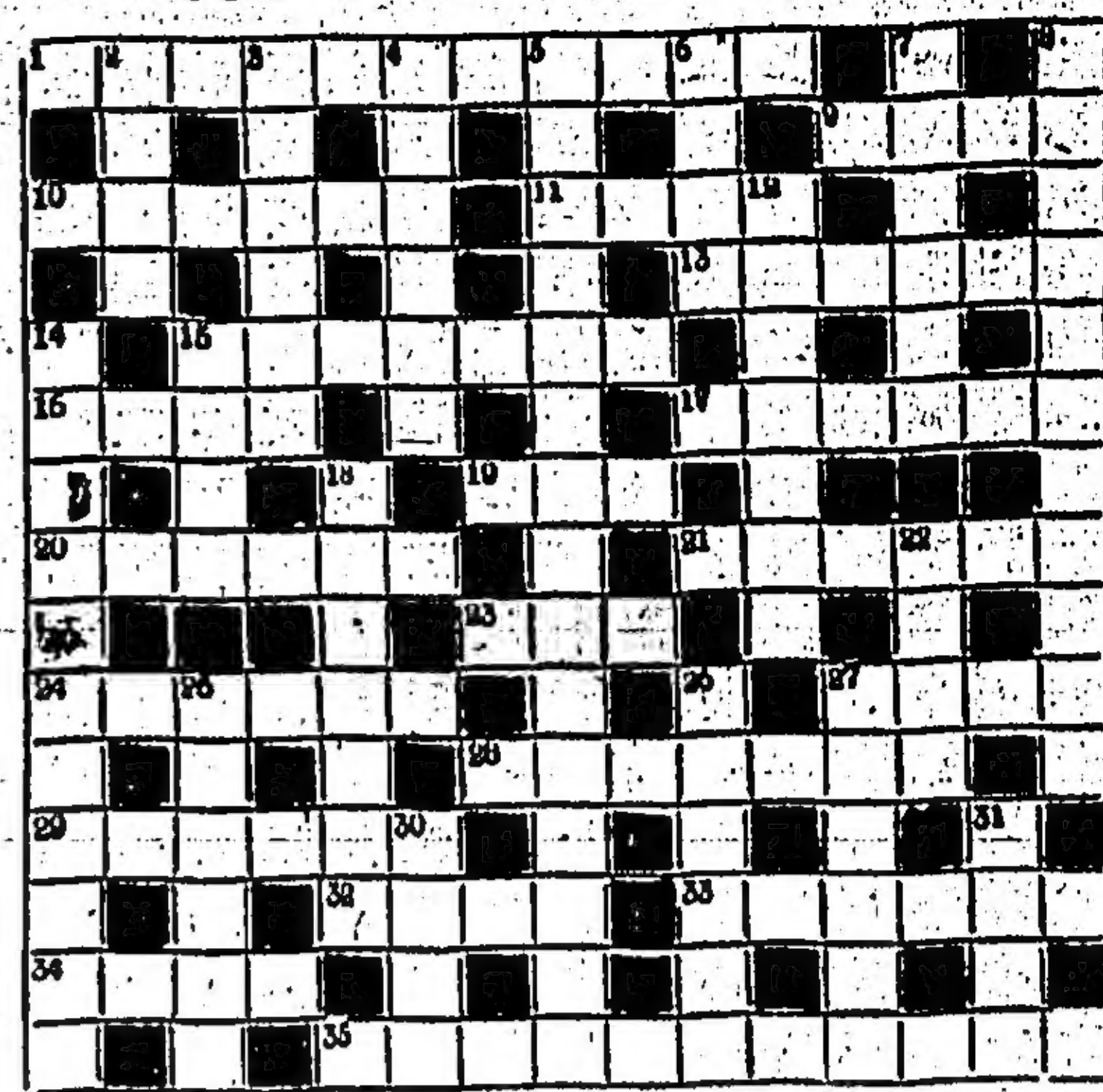
There is another point to be made. Young nerves cannot stand as much excitement as those of the matured body, just as the fur of a young animal won't stand too much rubbing, while the pelt of the parent will wear for years.

We don't want to close in on the children too much. They need to have fun and change is demanded. They need a certain number of playthings, places to go and things to do.

But we will show our sense if we leave some of the good things until they grow up. Save something for future years. They need not live thirty years in fifteen.

Contentment is a healthy state of mind—excitement is not, if it is a habit. Let us all stop and think where we stand and call a halt if the children are getting too much.

### OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



#### Across

- 1 Subscribe—if I can't it's meaning something.
- 9 A future Governor of India?
- 10 Ceremony unfolds it.
- 11 The name in the announcement.
- 13 Poisonous.
- 16 Part of Germany.
- 16 Describes a point that is arguable.
- 17 Put in (rev.).
- 19 Health resort.
- 20 Before a public conveyance in Hades.
- 21 Famous poet—much advertised.
- 23 This test may be taken as a declaration.
- 24 Describes a circle.
- 27 A bar on the river that in one sense is always dry.
- 28 Critical, but not censorious.
- 29 Free from obligation.
- 32 Put tea on the porch for the poor little animal.
- 33 The bird has swallowed an insect after some consideration.
- 34 The even part of an odd number.
- 35 Diversion (anag.).

#### Down

- 2 I and my half-sister take in the College magazine.
- 3 Isn't it sweet with a silent tea?
- 4 It is, of course, merely a suggestion that the don was disgraced.
- 5 What shall I carry next? "A tent? My poor car!" Anyway, it just shows present-day skill (two-word anag.).

- 6 Such intelligence becomes us in France.
- 7 Careful—it's very prickly.
- 8 Long-winded official.
- 12 Describes many African races.
- 14 A grammarian's moods.
- 15 Lifted on the English Channel.
- 18 These may be termed 12.
- 22 Late made money.
- 25 One does not need to wait till autumn to see the autumn tint in this part of the road.
- 26 Tree.
- 27 Another tree.
- 30 It's a case!
- 31 Passable, and between an unnamed person.

#### Yesterday's Solution

RUCTIONS DE CAMP  
EUNUCHYD  
TERMINUS MEMORY  
UAGNGLERS  
RETROUSSEAMAT  
NEBENOSBO  
TWELVEHALMA  
PELVIVVEL  
EXACT CLAUSE  
SHATSCOR  
HOCHOTHERWIS  
ANOBEEECV  
WHEELS AIREDALE  
AEDNNVDR  
RESIST BEVERAGE

### VITAL INTERESTS.

#### FOREIGN IMPORTANCE OF SHANGHAI

London, Nov. 24.  
Sir Nairne Sandeman, M.P., writing to *The Times* to-day, emphasises the vital importance of relations between China and foreign powers in respect of the future constitution of Shanghai. The question, he says, is equally important to China and foreign nations, as Shanghai is the centre of China's trade and the repository of enormous Chinese interests.

He says it is most significant that the Shanghai Municipal Council spontaneously invited the Rt. Hon. Mr. Justice Feitham to make recommendations as to the future of Shanghai. Yet the report, published in 1931, was never given official attention to his knowledge. The security of Shanghai, he went on, was of supreme concern to both East and West. The statesmanship must include the settlement of this difficult question. The Feitham Report was an excellent basis for the discussion of the subject, he added.

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## THE UNKNOWN BLONDE

BY LAURA LOU BROOKMAN

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## BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

DAVID BANNISTER, author, returns from Hollywood to his former home, Tremont, for a rest. He is trying to forget ADELE ALLEN, film actress, who killed him.

Bannister dines with JIM FAYTON, an old friend, now editor of the Tremont Post. They talk about the days when both were reporters. Bannister leaves Fayton and takes a cab, passing the Shelby Arms apartment hotel, the cab is halted by a traffic light. A girl comes out of the hotel, sees the cab and rushes toward it. When she sees Bannister she is embarrassed. He offers her the cab and she agrees to ride with him to her destination. The girl drops her handbag and Bannister sees that it contains a revolver.

## CHAPTER II

In a moment more they had passed the street light. Bannister stared at the girl but in the darkness her features were only vaguely outlined. He said, "This is yours, isn't it?" and held out the revolver.

Her "Thank you," was low-pitched but clear-voiced. She slipped the gun back into her handbag.

"If that thing happens to be loaded," Bannister said with some feeling, "I hope you'll be careful with it."

"Oh, it's not loaded!"

"But was it? She might have given the same answer even though the cylinder was filled with bullets. She might—and probably would—have said the same thing if she didn't want a complete stranger wondering why she was going about carrying a loaded revolver in her handbag.

Bannister looked at the girl again closely. Suddenly he wanted very much to know who she was. He wanted to know why she had come out alone on this stormy evening, why she was going to the Hotel Tremont. He felt almost as though he were being swept into an adventure.

But that was nonsense. "Her name's probably Hattie Smith," he told himself. "She's late for a date with her boy friend who's a collector for the gas company and he forgot her umbrella."

He didn't believe any of those things but he wanted to curb the suddenly rising exhilaration he felt. Exhilaration, alas, that was doomed to be short-lived, sure to be disappointed.

He turned again, this time catching the girl's quick, side-wise glance, and knew she had been watching him. Bannister said, with an attempt at casual pleasantry, "Well, we might talk about the weather. I got quite a bit of it—the weather, I mean—down my neck, standing there in the street."

"I'm sorry," the girl told him. Her voice trembled. There was no doubt of it now. "I didn't know it was your cab. I didn't know there was anyone."

"Of course you didn't," Bannister interrupted. "But there's cer-

tainly no reason why two people shouldn't ride in a cab made to hold five. As a matter of fact, I like company!"

That was a mistake; he could tell it instantly. The girl did not draw away. There was no increasing of the distance between them, but she seemed all at once to become remote. He noticed then that she was sitting rigidly, clutching the handbag with both hands.

Well, damn it, she didn't need to be afraid of him! If she didn't want to talk he certainly wasn't going to try to make her.

Unexplainably Bannister was annoyed. They rode in silence for several blocks after that. They had reached the business district and the streets had grown wider, brighter. Presently the cab rounded a corner and the marquee above the hotel entrance, lined by electric bulbs, came into view. A moment more and the cab had halted there.

Bannister was on the sidewalk instantly. He put out a hand for the girl but she ignored it. In the strong glow of the electricity she stepped forward—a slender, green-clad figure. "Thank you," she said, turning to the man. "Thank you so much!"

Just for an instant his eyes met hers—gray eyes, wide-set beneath dark lashes. But David Bannister noticed neither the colour of those eyes or their shape. He knew as he looked into that face—so strangely white, so strangely tense—that he was looking into tragedy.

Then the girl in the green suit was gone.

There was the fragrance of freshly baked muffins and crisp, browned sausages over the breakfast table, to which was added one more pungent aroma as Kate Hewlitt poured coffee into cups of egg-shell porcelain.

"I didn't hear you come in last night, David," she said primly.

"That's because I was here before you were."

"Oh?" His aunt's tone showed surprise. "Well, I guess it was late when I got here," she admitted. Aunt Kate looked the soul of placid domesticity. She was a small, rather stout woman with gray hair knotted high on her head, pink cheeks and blue eyes which, just then, bore a mild expression behind their gray shell-rimmed spectacles. Her dress was a blue and white cotton—exactly the sort of dress, David Bannister thought, that his aunt had worn for her morning housework all the years he had known her.

"How was the picture?" he asked.

"Well, I've seen better," Aunt

Kate said critically. "The acting was all right but I didn't think so much of the plot. It was about a girl who fell in with a gang of crooks and then shot a man because she didn't know she loved him—until afterward. Then she found it out and went to prison and reformed. Kind of silly I thought!"

Aunt Kate went on, naming the star of the picture. "She was awfully good in the sad parts," she said. "I didn't care much for the rest of it, though. The leading man was a now one I've never seen before. Had a kind of funny way he parted his hair. I don't think I like him much."

She chattered on. David discovered that he was not listening and then presently heard her words again.

"The reason I didn't get home sooner," Aunt Kate was saying, "was because I stayed to see the vaudeville act. I missed them the first time and I wanted to see Tracy King. He's the young fellow who lends the band, you know. Matter of ceremonies, they call him. Well, sir—he didn't show up at all!"

"What was the matter?"

"I'm sure I don't know!" Another young fellow came out on the stage and just said that Mr. King wouldn't be there. So they went ahead without him."

"Aunt Kate, are you trying to tell me that you've fallen for one of those sleek-haired masters of ceremony? At your age? I'm surprised at you!"

His aunt's gaze held sharp rebuke. "I haven't fallen for him," as you put it," she said, "but somebody else has. That's the reason I wanted to get a good look at him. You remember Denise Lang, don't you? She must have been in short dresses when you were here last. A little thing with light curly hair and blue eyes—"

"You mean the Lang that makes the hair tonic and patent medicine and had the big house out on Sheridan Road? Didn't know he had a daughter."

"Well, he has. She's grown into a beautiful young woman, too. Denise must be about 18—no, I guess she's 19. She's an only child. Her mother died when she was a little tot. Well, last week her engagement was announced to this Tracy King."

"The orchestra leader?" Bannister whistled softly. "Lang must be worth close to a million, isn't he?"

"More like two million, I guess," Kate Hewlitt shrugged. "At least he used to be. Maybe he's lost some of it lately. I should think it would just about break the man's heart to have Denise marry anybody like that!"

"Oh, maybe he's not so bad!"

"And maybe he's not so good either. I'm not saying anything against anyone, but a young man like that is no match for Denise Lang, the richest and prettiest girl in Tremont! I guess there have been plenty of others crazy about this young fellow though. Lily Evans was talking about it the other day. They invited him to the parties out at the Country Club and all that. I've seen him once or twice but I never paid much attention to him. That's why I wanted to get a good look at him last night. It just makes me sorry for Arthur Lang! A girl like that, raised with every advantage! But I suppose she's used to having her own way—"

The sausages and muffins had been consumed. David, finishing his second cup of coffee, glanced about the room uncomfortably.

"Want the paper, don't you?" his aunt volunteered. "I forgot to bring it in. Go and get it, David."

He rose, disappeared into the hall and then was back with the folded newspaper under his arm. Still standing, he spread out the paper.

His aunt heard his short, sharp ejaculation and turned.

"What is it?" she demanded.

"What's the matter?"

David Bannister thrust the newspaper before her. "Guess your orchestra leader was murdered last night," he told her. "Look at this!"

The glaring headlines read: "TRACY KING, BAND LEADER, SLAIN IN HOTEL." But it was not at that headline Bannister was staring. His eyes were fixed on two lines in smaller type below.

(To be Continued.)

## NO DICTATORSHIP

MR. BALDWIN'S CHARGE AGAINST FASCISM

London, Nov. 24.

"Fascism" said Rt. Hon. Mr. Baldwin in the House of Commons last night, "is begotten of Communism out of civil discord. Wherever you get Communism and civil discord you get Fascism."

"You have seen it in Italy, you have seen it in Germany. My firm conviction is you will never see either in this country."

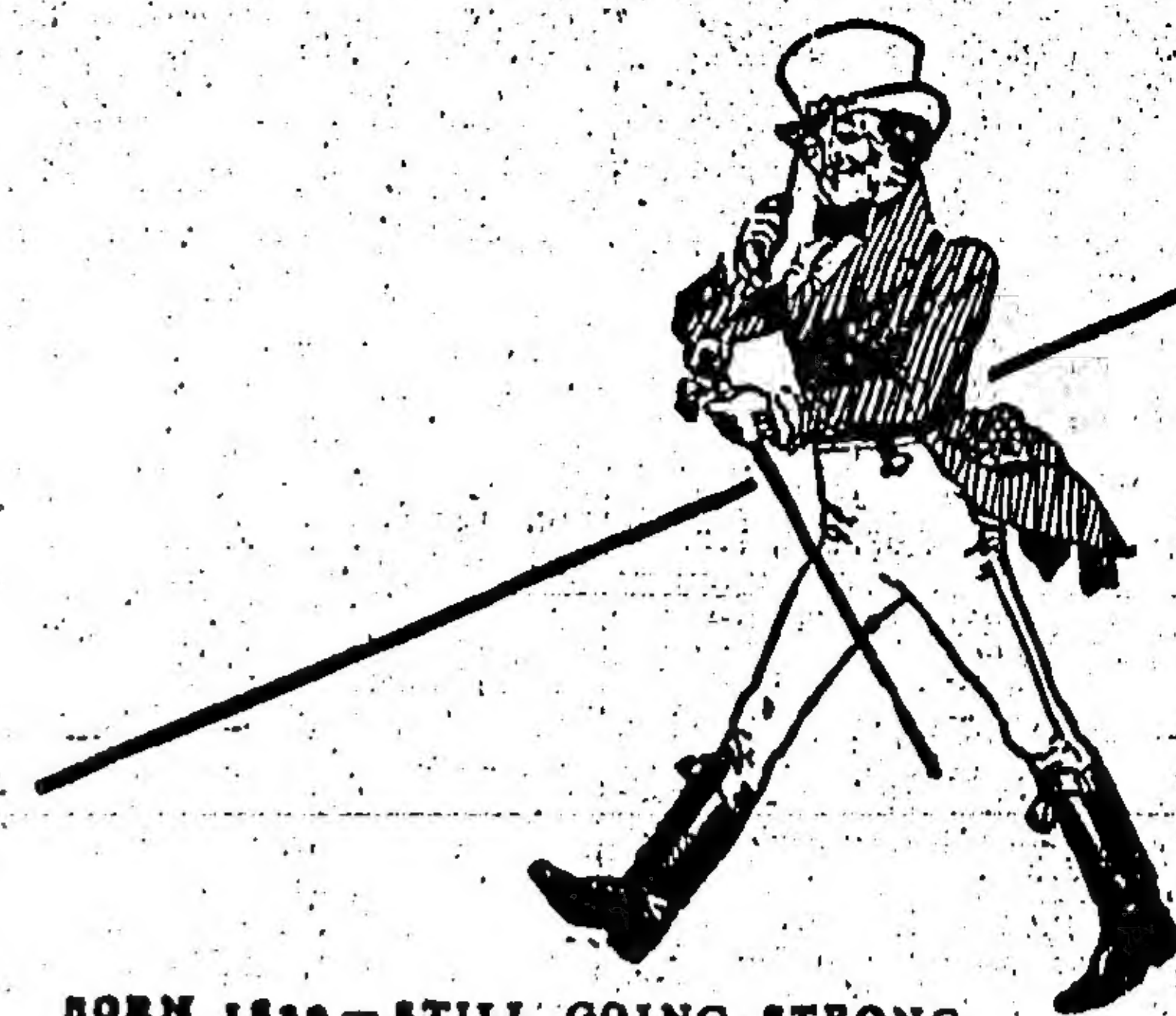
Mr. Baldwin was replying in the debate on the Address to the Throne to representations from Conservative members that the powers and constitution of the House of Lords should be amended as a protection against possible revolutionary socialist schemes.

Having expressed his conviction that the House of Commons would never consent to put the House of Lords in a position of equality or superiority to itself, he agreed there was much to be said for some kind of Lords reform; for instance, equitable representation there of all parties. The Upper Chamber, he thought was too large and it was not good that it should largely represent only one point of view.

As to the suggestion that the Lords should be strengthened as a bulwark against dictatorship, he said he had a pretty clear view of his own as to what would happen if any man in Britain were rash enough to attempt to create a dictatorship.

"I believe that any attempt to create a dictatorship whether it be by Right or Left, will be met by force if force is employed. I also believe that if there were a struggle by force between the extreme Left and extreme Right, in this country as in other countries the extreme right would win."

He then expressed the conviction that Britain would never see a dictatorship.—British Wireless.



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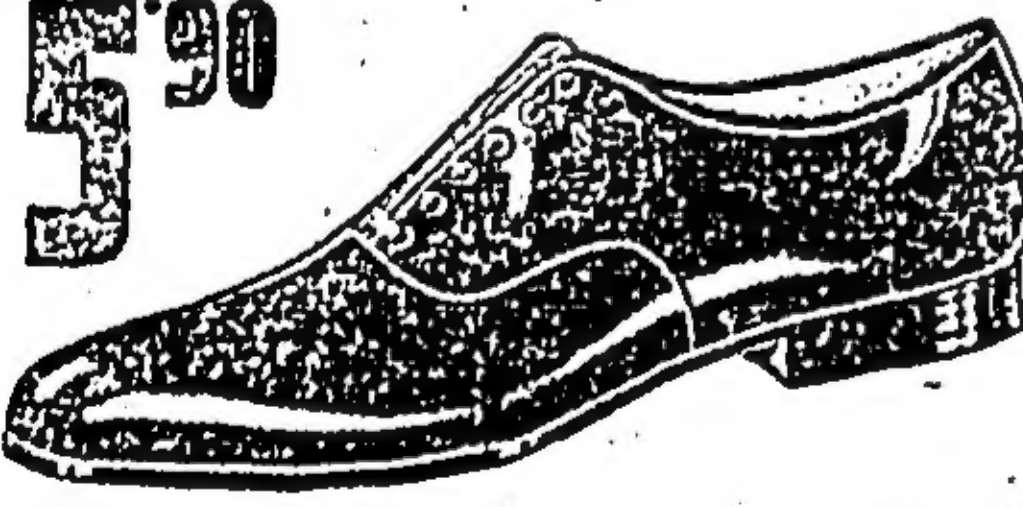
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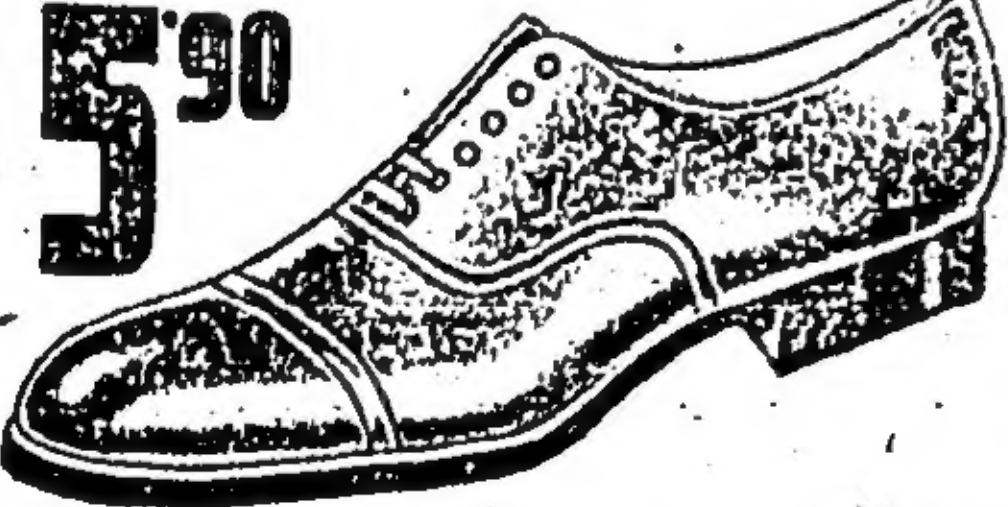
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## EUROPEAN'S DEATH

INQUIRY COMMENCED AT  
KOWLOON YESTERDAY

At the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday afternoon, a Coroner's inquest was held before Mr. Wynne-Jones, inquiring into the circumstances surrounding the death of Mr. Ernest Louis Pinquet, who died on the evening of October 25 at his bungalow, Lion's Head Farm, Kowloon Tong.

The jury empanelled consisted of Mr. E. Kern (foreman), T. A. Pearce and G. H. White.

Mr. D. H. Blake of Messrs Wilkinson and Grist held a watching brief on behalf of certain relatives.

Mr. Wynne-Jones, as Coroner, in outlining the scope of the inquiry said to the jury: "This afternoon you are here to inquire into the death of Ernest Louis Pinquet who died on October 25 at Kowloon Tong, apparently of a gunshot wound in the chest. I also have to tell you for your own convenience that one of the witnesses who was to have been summoned, Mr. P. Archer, is now suffering from malaria. He is at present in the acute fever stage and is unable to leave his bed. Therefore, we shall probably have to adjourn for a further hearing at some future date. I will endeavour to get through as much as possible this afternoon."

## Doctors' Evidence

Dr. J. Durran gave evidence that he had known deceased professionally and last saw him alive on October 25 about noon. Mr. Pinquet, who consulted Dr. Durran at his office, appeared to be excited and nervous but witness could not attribute any cause to that condition. Professionally, witness had only seen Mr. Pinquet once before when he tested his eyes for glasses.

Dr. J. B. Mackie, medical officer in charge of the Kowloon Mortuary, said that about 9 a.m. on October 26, he conducted a post-mortem on the body of Mr. Pinquet. The body was identified by Mr. R. G. Witcheil, brother-in-law, and Mr. P. Archer, business partner at the Lion's Head Farm. Inspector Dorling was also present.

Externally, there were blood stains on the left side of the chest and there was a punctured wound on the left side of the chest. There was a certain area of blackening round the wound. There was also a punctured wound on the left side of the back. Cause of death was a lacerated wound of the lung and internal hemorrhage. Both lungs showed signs of tuberculosis. Laceration of the lung was, in Dr. Mackie's opinion, consistent with a bullet wound in the chest. At the mortuary, deceased was dressed in a flowered sarong, a thin vest and a heavy golfing coat.

## Ammunition Bought.

Evidence was given by Wong Sung-wing, sub-manager of the

## MINISTER RESIGNS.

DR. LO WEN-KAN DROPS  
ONE PORTFOLIO

Nanking, Nov. 24.

Dr. Lo Wen-kan, the Minister of Justice, has submitted a formal petition resigning his concurrent portfolio for Foreign Affairs.—*Reuter.*

Hongkong Sporting Arms and Ammunition Co. He knew Mr. Pinquet quite well, having occasionally sold him cartridges. On October 25, about noon, Mr. Pinquet bought 50 rounds of .338 cartridges for a Remington revolver. Mr. Pinquet, according to regulations, produced an Arm's Licence on buying the cartridges, but did not say how he intended using them.

Inspector A. J. W. Dorling said that, as a result of a telephone message, he had gone at 7.40 p.m. on October 25 to Lion's Head Farm. This farm is situated on the hillside above Kowloon Tong. In the sitting-room of the bungalow witness found deceased, who he was informed was Mr. Pinquet. The body was in a sitting position in an armchair by a door leading out to the back of the bungalow. The back of the armchair was padded with cotton-wool, but there was a hole through the padding and through the back of the chair which was of plaited cane. About one foot behind the chair, witness found a hole in an ornamental piece of wood on the side of a cabinet. This hole was about twenty inches from the ground. The wood was split. On the floor almost immediately under the cabinet, witness found a .33 bullet. The room did not appear to have been disturbed.

## Letter Discovered.

In the bedroom, adjoining the sitting-room, on a writing desk, witness also found a letter enclosed in an envelope which was addressed to the Inspector General of Police. This letter was later opened by Mr. Burlingham, D.S.P., Kowloon, and handed back to witness.

This letter, which was read to the jury by the Coroner, stated that Mr. Pinquet had, for reasons which he would not divulge to the Police, decided to kill himself. He had given this matter deep thought before taking the fatal step and further stated that no blame should be attached to anybody.

Five other private letters were also found. The revolver was handed to Inspector Dorling by Mr. R. G. Witcheil.

At this stage, the Court was cleared and the rest of the evidence was heard in camera. Subsequent enquiry revealed that the case had been adjourned.

## LATE MRS. W. H. BELL

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT  
FUNERAL

The funeral took place last evening at the Protestant Cemetery of Mrs. Dora Bell.

Behind the hearse walked Mr. W. H. Bell and son as chief mourners. Dean Swann officiated at the graveside.

His Excellency the Governor (Sir William Peel) and Lady Peel were represented by Captain R. Walter, A.D.C., others present being the Hon. Mr. D. W. Trautman, his Honour, Mr. Justice Wood, the Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster, the Hon. Mr. Gordon Mackie, Col. T. A. Robertson; Professors D. K. Digby, F. A. Redmond, and C. A. Middleton-Smith; Messrs. T. H. King, T. B. Wilson, G. H. Potts, A. L. Shields, J. H. Taggart, A. D. Copple, H. Owen-Hughes, T. H. R. Shaw, E. P. H. Lang, Allan Cameron, P. Jacks, H. R. Forsyth, D. J. Lewis, E. M. Raymond, J. K. Bousfield, J. W. C. Bonnar, M. J. Quist, L. M. Murphy, K. S. Morrison, G. G. N. Tinson, T. M. Mitchell, D. Drummond, P. S. Cassidy, T. E. Pearce, H. F. Bunjo, M. F. Key, J. D. Rose, H. Davenport-Brown, S. T. Williams, P. F. Le Fevre, Frank Sutton, Ho Kwong, K. E. Edkins, G. W. Sewell, R. M. McLay, J. Tully, A. Primmall, J. W. Platt, M. O. Clark, W. A. Dowley, F. W. James, K. E. Greig, A. Stevenson, S. H. Dodwell, F. Syme Thomson, A. Humphreys, C. F. Yuen, and others. Mr. T. B. Wilson represented the Rotary Club, with Mr. M. F. Key, who also represented the Chamber of Commerce and the China Association.

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K.C. REBUKED BY JUDGE

MUST NOT CALL A WITNESS A LIAR

When the "sunshine roof" case, which Mr. D. N. Pritt, K.C., stated recently was costing £10 a minute, was proceeding in the King's Bench Division, Mr. Justice Hawke said he did not fancy that Mr. Pritt's estimate of the cost of the proceedings could be anything like correct. "£10 a minute would be £3,000 a day—but they are costing a great deal of money," added the Judge. The action was one in which Sir Herbert Austin, the Austin Motor Company and a firm of patent agents were sued by Mr. Edouard Ernest Lehwass, for alleged conspiracy respecting a patent for "sunshine roofs." Mr. Lehwass agreed he offered to sell for £16,000, but that was under pressure and in order to come to a settlement. During subsequent cross-examination the Judge said to Mr. Pritt, K.C., "It is not a part of

KENYA STORKS

NESTS LIKE HAYSTACKS

Nairobi. A colony of hammer-headed storks, an uncommon and curious bird which builds a nest like a small haystack, has just been discovered in Kenya, not far from here. The nest is about four feet long and four feet wide, and takes three months to build. When it is vacated by the storks, numerous smaller birds riddle the "hay-stack" with their own nests.—*Reuter.*

cross-examining, counsel's duty or right to call a man a liar. It is not done." Mr. Pritt: If I have done anything wrong I accept your lordship's rebuke, but say I had a right to do that. The Judge: It is just a matter of taste. Mr. Pritt: I do not profess to have any taste, but I try to fulfil my duty.

FROGS BELIEVED BURIED 34 YEARS

IN FOUNDATIONS OF BUILDING

Schenectady, New York. Five spotted frogs unearthed during the wrecking of a building at the General Electric factory have raised the question of whether they could have been buried 34 years ago and still live. The building was erected 34 years ago and the clay surface on which it rested had been a swamp until the company drained it. Professor James W. Maybury of the Union College Biology Department, who has been studying one of the frogs, said there were indications that the amphibian had spent all of this century hibernating in the clay. Workmen who found the frogs tossed them aside, believing they were dead. Scientists of the company decided to investigate, but found only one frog to work on. Four of them had other notions and had hopped away.—*Reuter.*

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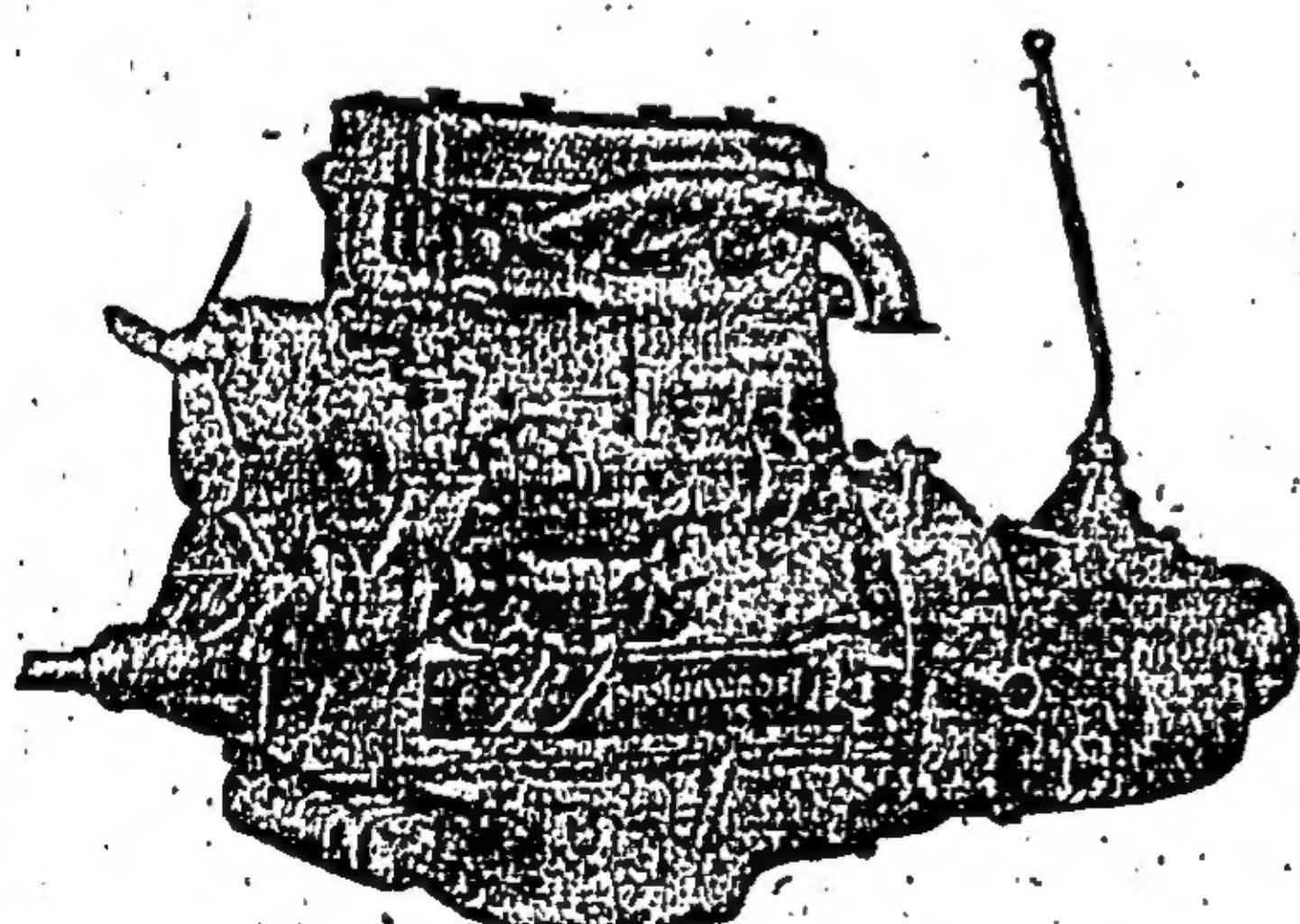


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Bideford, Oct. 26.

There's a mystery in the air at Howell Farm, Bideford, Devon, the scene of the North Devon tithe war, which is now in its fifth week.

The farmer, Mr. L. W. Brown, who is supported by a guard of Fancists, has refused to pay, and the bailiff has been "in possession" of two cornricks and one hayrick.

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No wagon can approach the farm as the farmer has dug a deep trench across the private road leading to the farm, and the Fancists are guarding every possible line of approach.

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### SCOTSMAN GOES BACK

#### THE LURE OF THE FOREIGN LEGION

Boulogne.

A British subject who escaped from the Foreign Legion more than seven years ago and now wants to go back, presented himself at the gendarmerie and gave himself up.

The former legionary, Andrew Dunn, who was born at Greenock on January 6, 1900 told the astonished gendarmes his story.

"I belonged to the third regiment," he said, "and was at Fez, Morocco, when I had a severe attack of dysentery. I was accordingly sent to hospital at Algiers.

"I left the hospital in January 1926, and smuggled myself secretly on board a British vessel which happened to be in the harbour. Thus I returned to Great Britain, where I have lived ever since."

"Recently, however, I have been feeling remorse, and have been homesick for Africa... so I have come to put myself at the disposal of the French Military authorities."

Mr. Dunn is being taken at his word, and is being sent by stages to Marseilles and thence to Algeria.—*Reuter*.

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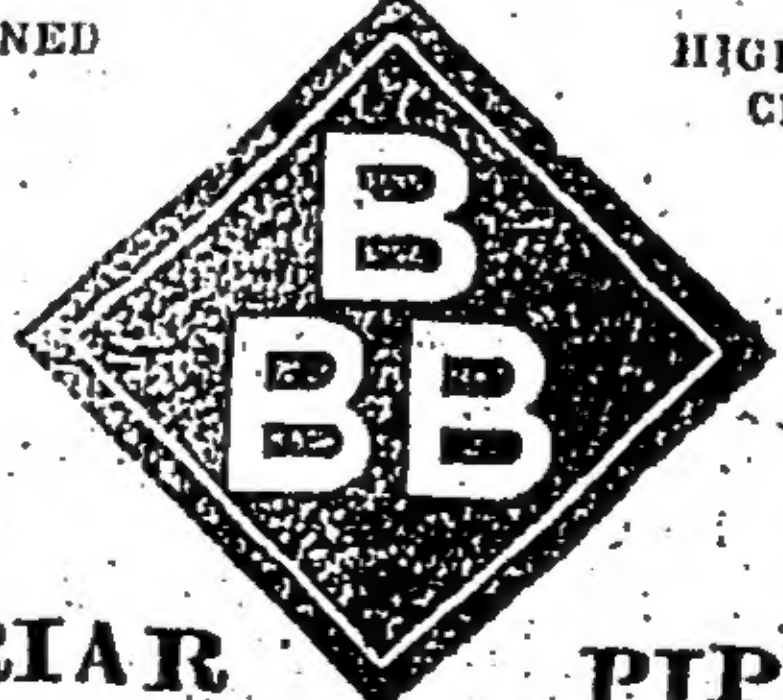
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## The Hongkong Telegraph

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1933.

## THE RAFFLE BAN

It is now made clear, from the official statement which we published yesterday, that the ban on large-scale raffles on behalf of local charities is not, as at first appeared, the result of arbitrary action on the part of the police. What actually happened was that the police referred the whole question to the Government, which decided that the time had come to call a halt to raffles of this type. When such decisions are made, it would surely be wise, for the guidance of the public, if the fact were made known. Despite the Government's ruling, the question is still left in a most unsatisfactory position. It is, moreover, undeniable that the decision fails to accord with public feeling on the subject. Cash sweeps, which are indulged in for purely personal gain, are legal, under certain conditions. Yet, except in a very small way, raffles solely for the benefit of charities, are not permitted.

The better plan would be to legalise raffles, subject to official control so long as the authorities are satisfied of the bona fides and so long as the whole proceeds go to reputable charities. As matters are at present, there is bound to be discrimination, with resultant anomalies. If necessary, tax could be collected on the big raffles, as is done in the case of permitted sweeps. Such a method would bring about some measure of uniform treatment, which is at present lacking. The Government attitude on the matter, as disclosed in yesterday's statement, reflects the official mind, which is ever fearful of establishing precedents. The mere fact that the head of a firm, possibly suffering from a liver, became annoyed when a book of raffle tickets was sent him for distribution amongst his staff, does not warrant the suggestion that raffles have become a nuisance. The practice has certainly not developed to anything like that extent, nor is there any justification for the fear that it might. Properly controlled, charity raffles would hardly become a source of moral corruption. Kept within limits, yet permitting charities to benefit from them, they would be far less objectionable on this score than many of the sweepstakes which are now tolerated. Under the ban now operating, certain organisations which perform extremely valuable social work will find it difficult to carry on. Even the Government is forced to acknowledge this fact. The circumstance, apart from any other, provides sufficient reason why the whole matter is to be re-

## NOTES OF THE DAY

## FINANCIAL PANIC OVER

Now that the worst of the local financial panic is over and the threat of an acute crisis practically removed, it is as well to examine the situation for the substance of the trouble. It would be foolish to deny that a really critical situation developed at one stage, although scare stories set in circulation and published in some quarters undoubtedly added to the difficulties. That there should have been even talk of Government intervention and of moratoriums is sufficient indication of the widespread anxiety, although, again, more worry was occasioned by consideration of to what extent the panic would grip the public at large than by any thought of the fundamental stability of the institutions whose resources were most likely to be taxed. Calm has now been largely restored and provided nothing occurs to destroy regained confidence, the danger of a revival of excitement is remote.

## THE MAIN FACTORS

Two factors played an important part in the temporary scare, the Fukien developments and the slump in the local property values. China's political intrigues should normally have no effect upon Hongkong, but the "runs" in Canton were dangerous and from the moment that they involved native banks with ramifications locally, rumours cropped up in Hongkong and one after another, local firms handling the smaller business were required to meet a heavy demand for the return of their deposits. Even so, we doubt whether the movement would have developed so seriously, but for the slump in local property values, for which Government cannot entirely escape blame. Several months ago, and at intervals since, warning has been given that the Colony was over-building, that a severe reaction would certainly set in unless the Government refrained from further encouragement of speculative enterprise in this field. Too much capital was being frozen in bricks and stone, Government, apparently being deceived by the fact that the new premises soon found occupants, overlooking the thinning down of population in old quarters.

## ARTIFICIAL BOOM

In ordinary circumstances, this movement of population to the suburbs and to more modern buildings would be justifiably stimulated as much as possible. It is yet possible that the final outcome may prove beneficial to the Colony's general health insofar as the development really lessens congestion in the City and slum districts. It cannot be doubted, however, since it was obvious from the very beginning, that the building boom which developed about three years ago was purely artificial in character, induced not by a strongly felt need for new houses but by a large volume of idle capital in the Colony seeking a profitable outlet. Stocks and shares were a drug on the market and have remained so. Property investment seemed to offer the best chance, indeed, practically the only one.

## A FALSE POSITION

More than anything else, this development preserved an atmosphere of comparative prosperity in the Colony while from all around us came reports of calamitous depression. From the moment the supply of surplus funds began to exhaust itself, the economic blight struck the Colony in fierce form, and to-day, technically, the Colony is in a more difficult position than it would have been had Government originally read the signs aright and taken steps which would have ensured a more liquid financial condition.

## THE FUTURE

In recent months, with building activity gradually ceasing, a distinct falling off in local purchasing power has been noted, beyond dispute, and although there is and was no occasion for the panic which seized depositors in local banking concerns, the Government must be prepared for difficult times. There can be little doubt to-day that, in prevailing conditions, local taxation is far too high; that many of our local problems have their origin in excessive public expenditure, which has permitted considerations of revenue to obscure public interest. The Colony is not likely to receive the impetus to recovery unless some step is taken to reduce the burden of the high cost of government. The picture may appear to be painted in gloomy colours, but this is not the time to brook the facts.

viewed afresh. The official attitude smacks of a grandmotherliness which runs contrary to public wishes. Surely some plan could be evolved which would command general approval and be less prejudicial to deserving causes.

## MR. PEPYS IN HONGKONG

Nov. 18th. This day lay somewhat late having last night taken my dinner at Gloucester House with the Interport Kickett players and others, and there as usual I do meet Mr. S. Harston, who as I suppose dines abroad might rarely but upon this occasion, he being a devotee of this finest of sports and now doth watch the game more than most men. At the dinner much good cheer and all the captains of the teams do make speeches and between the speaking there be some strange and incomparable good music and singing. But it grieved me sore to think that this was the first occasion these thirty years and more when Mr. R. Hancock and Mr. T. Pearce have not the one or the other taken part in a home match; and I am sorry for it. Yet do they look mighty well upon it and I doubt not Mr. Pearce to be yet the best bat in Hongkong. Later to the Clubbe where we do foregather with some of the King's Officers and much good fellowship and a little noise. But I to bed very sober being somewhat tired. Later this day at the office I am minded to leave early in the forenoon that I may visit one of the King's great ships, but Lord! so many fooleries there are of those about me that I must needs stand to it until the hour be overlate for visiting. So later to the Clubbe and drink a glass or two of Hollands waters with Mr. Franco and Mr. Povy. And anon comes Creed and we all fall to talking of the New Proclamation that doth set in operation the new law of Juvenile Offenders, and then comes one of the aldermen and tells us he had not expected it these ten days or more, yet he doubts not it shall work pretty well. Later upon the Peaks where I do visit many houses to pay my devoir to my acquaintance, and so by motor-coach to the country where with Mr. Ken and his Lady-I do eat an excellent good dinner and later play at cards. 'Lost me four florins. Home by coach, but Lord! I was so weary I did fall asleep therein and rouse not until I do reach the Clubbe—yet thanks be to Providence my moneys and wallet are still safe upon my person. There, to my greatest possible content I do find the lift to be not yet stopped, and so to bed.

10th. Lord's Day. Lay late and indeed I do find it do sleep most marvellous well in these times, and it comes as I suppose of the severities of my daily labours in my business. But I could not be so long as I would as I must needs up and trim me and so to Kowloon where I do watch Shanghai play at Kickett with the Kowloon Clubbe. And though I have these many years watched the game there yet never before do I find so cool and pleasant a spot in the shade of trees and a fair platform of wooden planks whereon I get my chair and so very comfortably do view the play. But later, when I do eat my nuncheon with my good friend Mr. Frank and the rest, he tells me that there lies beneath these same planks a mighty deep well, and they are about to renew the woodwork it being rotting away, and, says he, it comes nigh that I had fallen therein chair and all, being grown over-fat, which would, as I

think have been a most grievous end to my day, as water likes me not save maybe to dilute my Hollands or at my toilette. Later however I do point out to him that even the well must needs be less moist than the good cheer of his and their hospitality. Watching of the Kickett and Lord! Shanghai do win a match. Home and early to bed.

20th. This day up very betimes and after breaking my fast to my office where I do order my papers all day, eating my nuncheon at my desk. And I do perceive that a thronge of work doth come soon, or I am sadly at fault.

21st. This day the Kickett team chosen from among the King's Forces in the Colony do play against Shanghai; and after the nuncheon hour, my papers being ordered I to the Kickett ground and did see the match, which was as I suppose the most exciting there has been since 1926. Mr. T. Wilson hits very hard and almost wins the game when he lifts one to Mr. Muleygrubs who for the nonce had forsaken his hounds to play at Kickett. But Lord! When the high-hit ball comes down he doth make a sad fob of it and so puts it upon the carpet, yet thereafter throws it in. For, as it seems, Mr. T. Mador is paralyzed and runs not down the pitch and so Shanghai is beat by one run. But what high honour may be signified by the conferment of a basket I know not.

22nd. This day I fall to talking in the Clubbe with Mr. Povy, Creed and others and all very anxious at the news from Fukien where it seems yet another faction doth get itself up. And if ever China did need peace it is now, and I pray God that no ill may come of it, but that better judgements shall prevail. Later to the card room, where I play at contract, which is a pretty game, yet I seldom have my head so free as to be troubled with it. Yet later in the Barre Mr. Franco doth persuade me that I shall enter with him as a partner in some Competition.

23rd. This day up betimes and ordering my papers rapidly at the Office I do find time to call upon one of the King's great ships and there find an old friend. Later in my Chamber I fall to ordering my gear which is not yet all set out. And anon comes Mr. Franco to drink a glass of wine of Xeres and to teach me something in my bridge conventions though I, and it may be too, are somewhat in doubt as to the 'one Clubbe.' Yet so be the minimum response be 'one diamond' I think it shall do pretty well. Yet upon an occasion I do ever fail of holding cards, and God knows how it shall be.

24th. Reading in the news-sheets this morning I do find more ill-news from Fukien and if indeed civil war again should come it would be a most wicked thing. At Kowloon a brutal murder and indeed things seem sadly out of joint. Yet in this Colony there seems a singular lack of matter for comment in my diary. So after office to my chamber and there write my mail and then to bed.

## BULLS AND INNERS

## From the Office Butts

Most reservoirs, we're told, have to be cleared of water plants twice a year. A dam nuisance!

Lots of young bloods in Hongkong try to swallow in their fathers' footsteps.

A motorist says it's possible to travel over some of the New Territory roads now without a bump. This, of course, is largely due to the scarcity of pedestrians.

Half-blond and half-brunette hair is now being worn at Home. The idea is welcomed by husbands who are in the habit of coming home to blonde wives with brunette hairs on their shoulders.

We suppose these talkative women golfers at Fanling must have their tea-time topics.

Don't let the depression worry you. Remember that Noah floated a company when the rest of the world was in liquidation.

An expedition has left England to collect information about whales. If it reaches Hongkong, local anglers will be quite ready to answer questions.

The Cheero Club has got the \$35,000 which it wanted. Loud cheers!

The latest styles in collures will expose women's necks. Now there'll be precious little else left to be shown.

The umbrella industry and savings banks Codes were signed on the same day in Washington. There'll now be no excuse for not being prepared for the rainy day.

All this talkie-talkie at Geneva suggests that it should be called the League of Orations.

Latest women's fashions show that curves are coming back again. Hips, Hips, Hurray!

Psychologists say girls reach maturity much earlier than boys. But they reach middle-age much later.

News Item.—A famous American bull-fighter has sailed for Spain to take on a few of the Spanish variety. We can only suppose that the American kind was too much for him.

There's a fortune for the man who introduces ladies' shoes covered with chameleon skin. They'd harmonise with any dress!

A writer in a London journal pleads that "Government servants are only human beings after all." So much for the belief that they should be treated as pets.

A local scribe asserts that everybody should do gardening in their spare time. We trust that this has been brought to the notice of the Navy.

Hongkong's latest candidate to the ranks of the Nudists, is so keen that he even refuses to be covered by insurance.

We sympathise with the absent-minded. P.W.D. engineer who bid seven spades the other night.

There is no truth in the rumour that St. Andrew's Ball is being held on a Thursday this year in order to prevent the Telegraph from perpetrating its annual joke next Saturday—"Hoo's your held!"

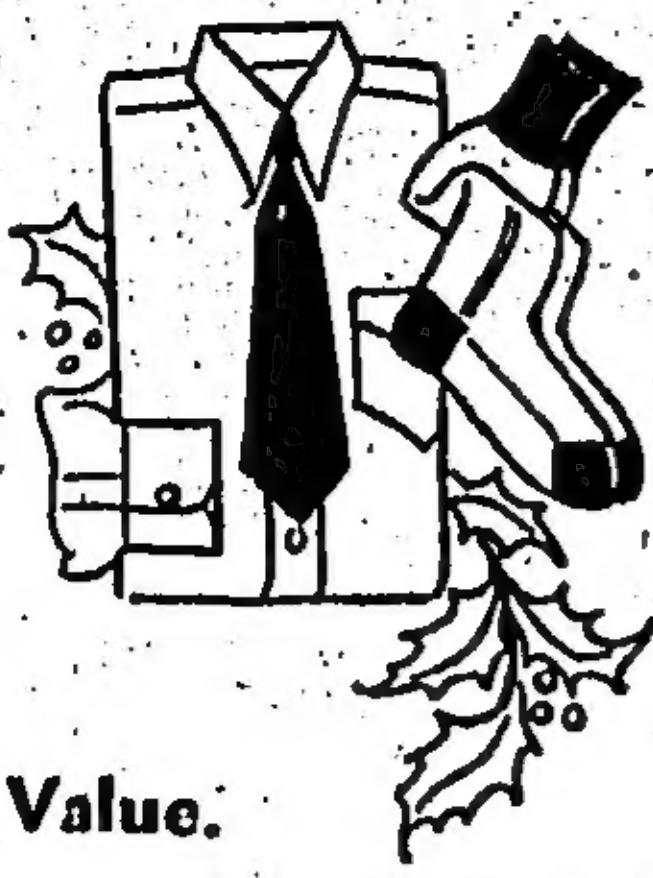


"But, dear, can't that wait until I get this fellow's tonsils out?"



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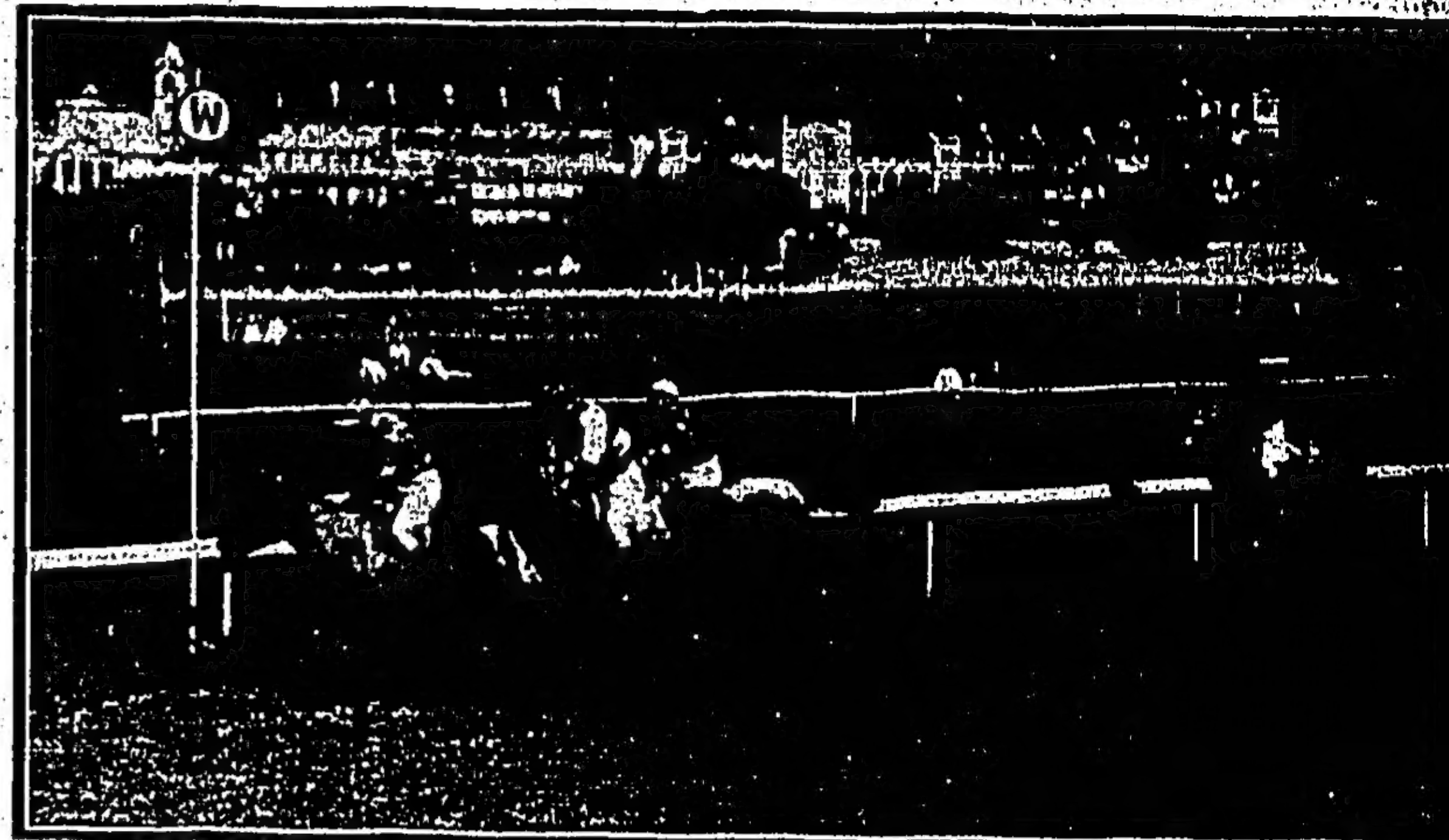
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The above group was taken at the Kai Tak Aerodrome on the arrival of the Vicomte de Sibour, wife and young son, from Fort Bayard.



Miss Dorothy Round, Britain's No. 1 lady tennis player, in action in the exhibition game at the Hongkong C.C.



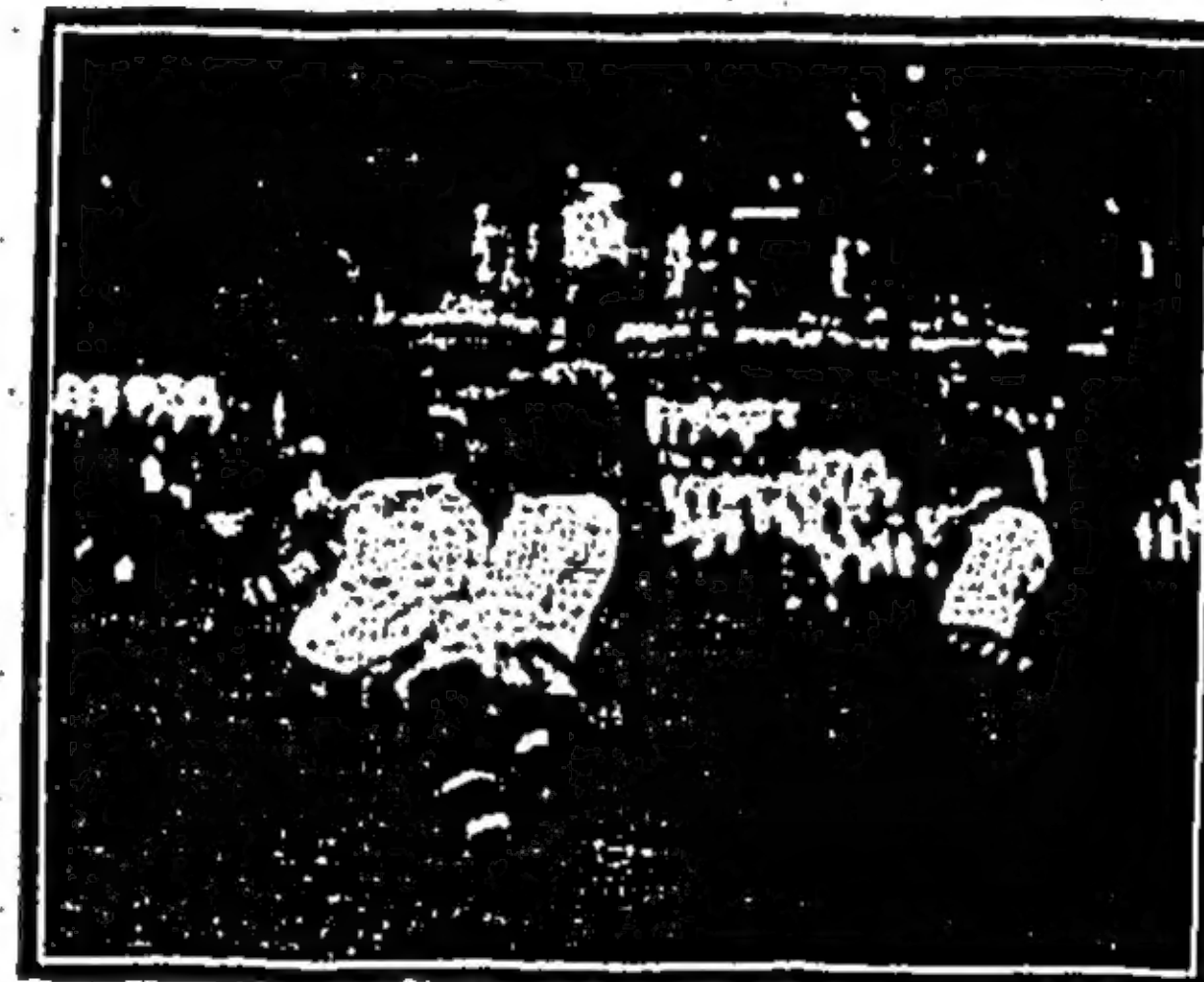
Swale, Now's the Time and Iron Grey fighting out a close finish in the Sussex Handicap at last Saturday's Races. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



Vicomte de Sibour's wife, a daughter of Mr. Gordon Selfridge, snapped with her son at Kai Tak.



Miss Mary Healey, the British tennis star, snapped in a characteristic attitude at the H.K.C.C.



A good action picture in the soccer match between the Lincolns and the Navy on Saturday. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Swale, winner of the Sussex Handicap, being led in on Saturday. Mr. Proulx is the jockey. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



Lieut. James A. S. Wise, R.N., and his bride, Miss Lenore Hutcheson, daughter of Mrs. J. B. Newill and step-daughter of Commander Newill of Hongkong.



A study in attitudes, snapped at the soccer match between Chinese Athletic and the Club de Recreio on Saturday. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Here are the members of the water polo team of the Headquarters Wing 1st, Battrn. South Wales Borderers, Garrison champions for 1933. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



St. Joseph's attacking in the Football League match against the Lancashires on Saturday. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Two children of the Hon. Mr. R. H. and Mrs. Kotewall, who secured honours in the Trinity College of Music examination—Miss Marie Kotewall (Preparatory, Piano) and Master Cyril Kotewall (First Steps, Violin).



Charming Star, ridden by Mr. Harriman, after winning the Surrey Handicap, "B" Class, on Saturday. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



Mr. Liu Hai-sou, noted Chinese artist who has won much fame in Europe, snapped with his wife when they passed through Hongkong a few days ago. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



A close-up of the Vicomte de Sibour's arrival at the Kai Tak Aerodrome.



# SMART NOVELTIES *of the* NEW FASHIONS

by Julia

Irregular necklines, fancy sleeves, unusual tailoring—these lend a new appeal to the late fall stylings

**T**HERE'S a note of fantasy about the autumn clothes.

Whether you're wearing tailored street things or formal afternoon and evening frocks, you'll love the novelty manner in which they are treated.

Gone are the days of dresses so strictly tailored as to appear severe. These new ones are tailored—yes—but in such ways as to make them unusual and fantastic.

The girls to whom no autumn is complete without a tailored suit in the wardrobe will take their tailored suits with fur or with unusual lapels, or at least with some sort of different sleeve treatment.

The woman who never could wear plain V or square necklines can forget her worries. Dame Fashion dictates high necklines or irregular ones this year.

There's something very flattering about a high-necked dress, particularly for very young girls. Some of them button tightly about the throat. Others are loose fitting, but high just the same.

With everything taking a fancy turn, it naturally follows that fur plays an important part in the trimming game for this winter.

Not only are fur collars and cuffs popular, but strips of fur go around the bottom of three-quarters length coats, on shoulders as pads and on the hips of basque jackets.

One particularly lovely street suit has a three-quarters length coat which is belted. Epaulettes are of grey astrakhan fur and the matching fur collar is a tiny stand-up one which comes down around the front of the coat, reaching almost to the belt.

Wide cape collars turn out to be, not collars at all, but intricate mullet-type scarfs which tie around the back of the neck.

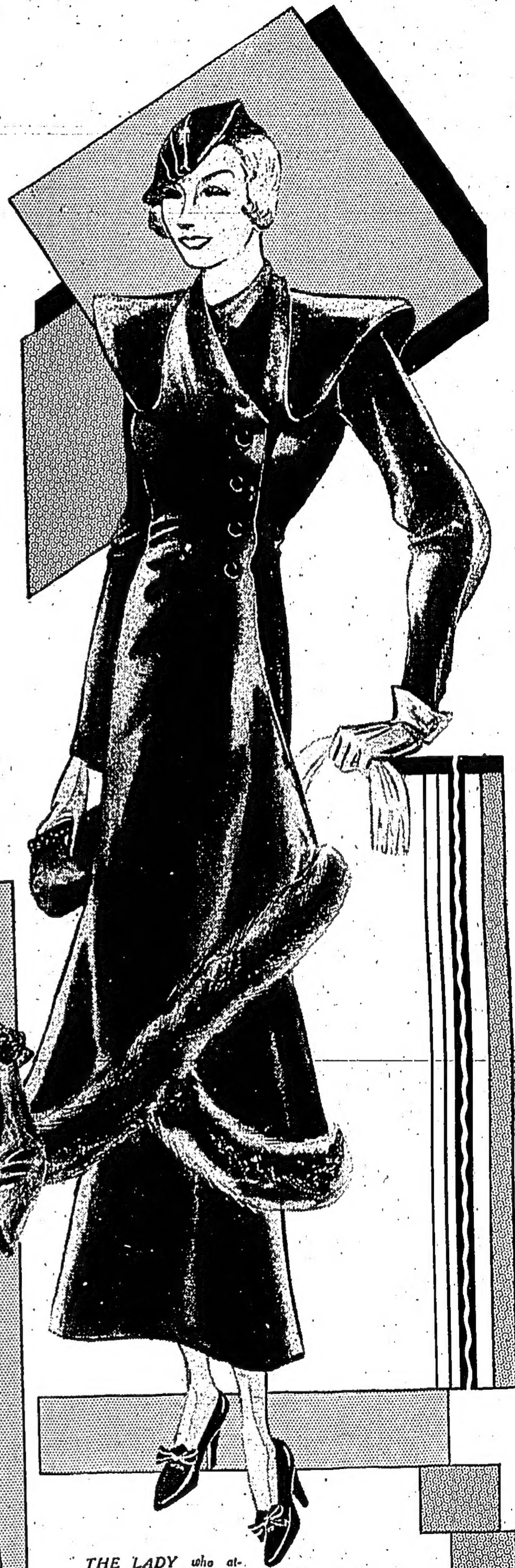
Naturally, with the fantastic note carried right into tailored street things, it's obvious that lounging costumes, pyjamas, negligees, hostess gowns and the like will go steps farther and be very dressy.

Velvet is a favourite fabric for informal home wear. There's something luxurious about the material. And what lady doesn't want to feel luxurious when the day's work is done and she can sit around in a lounging outfit?

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A BEAUTIFUL negligee, which can be worn when you pour at informal tea in your home, has a surprise closing and a wide cape collar that is trimmed with a narrow band of fur.



THE LADY who attends many formal afternoon functions will find that a dressy suit answers her wardrobe problems. This one, in taupe velvet, has a three-quarters length coat which is trimmed around the bottom with red fox fur.

GROUPED AT THE LEFT are three stunning new costumes.

The seated figure displays a lovely afternoon dress in black velvet, with white satin, irregular-shaped epaulettes which match the loose-fitting stand-up collar.

Standing, at the left in this group, is a street dress of brown, orange and yellow plaid velvet. The round collar is slit on the left shoulder.

At the right is a travel suit in gray herringbone. The three-quarters length coat is trimmed with shoulder pads and stand-up collar of fur.



# SO THIS IS COMRADE LITVINOFF—A PEN PICTURE

## ONE OF SOVIET RUSSIA'S OLDEST BOLSHEVISTS

### PROUD OF HIS 10-GALLON HAT

Julia Blanshard, who has a wide acquaintance among the leaders of present-day Soviet Russia through her travels as a newspaper correspondent, presents below a personality story, replete with many hitherto unpublished facts about Foreign Commissar Litvinoff who has succeeded in his "recognition" negotiations in America.

BY JULIA BLANSARD.

Introducing—"Comrad" Maxim Maximovitch Litvinoff (pronounced Lit-vee-nof), who has successfully concluded his talks with President Roosevelt on American recognition of Soviet Russia.

He is a big man with a fat stomach, graying light hair, pale blue eyes that are cold and calculating at one time, warm and merry when he looks at his children. He looks like a successful Jewish cloak-and-suit merchant, shakes hands like a Western cowboy, talks English with a London West-end Jewish accent, wears you out with his dynamic energy, and can out-argue anybody on earth.

He has been criticized by bigoted, orthodox Bolsheviks because he has two dress suits and both a black silk and a white pique evening tie, not to mention long-tailed evening clothes, striped gray trousers and cutaway and a dinner jacket. He even wears them in Moscow, when meeting foreign diplomats, though Stalin and other high-ups stick to their workmen's clothes.

He does not wear a formidable Russian beard, he doesn't even have a moustache. His glasses have horned rims that are "made in America" and his formal clothes are made on Bond Street. In spite of these outfits for formal occasions, however, Litvinoff on ordinary work-days usually looks as if he slept in his clothes.

### WIFE IS ENGLISH.

Litvinoff also has been criticized at home because he has a foreign, bourgeois wife who is also a Bo-

hemian. To proletarian Russia a bourgeois wife is bad enough. To have her Bohemian in her tastes is practically counter to their ideals.

Yet Mrs. Litvinoff, the former English upper-class woman, Ivy Low, niece of the late journalist, Sir Maurice Low, goes right ahead doing exactly as she pleases in Moscow, absolutely backed by her husband. She has written articles for the press of foreign countries, has published a detective story, is working on a novel, has reported drama for Russia's only English-printed paper, the *Moscow News*, and in addition holds the one and only "salon" that any Bolshevik leader's wife boasts. Here writers, artists, actors and visiting foreigners lucky enough to have been introduced by "Ivy's" friends meet informally and talk seriously to the enjoyment of all.

Criticism doesn't bother Litvinoff. He always has met with it. He knows that he has a longer and better record for sticking to Bolshevik ideals than practically anyone in Russia. He is, in fact, one of the "Old Bolsheviks," a title reserved for the small group which included Lenin, Trotsky, Stalin and others lucky enough to have been in on the 1905 revolution.

Litvinoff was born in Bielostok in 1876, when that part of Poland was Russian. His real name, Waldech, apparently has never been used by him. When he was 17 he was exiled to Siberia for anti-Czarist activities. He went to Switzerland and continued undercover work for the revolutionists, was held for smuggling in the arms used in the 1905 Revolution.

### INTERNATIONAL SALESMAN.

The rest of those 10 years before the Revolution, Litvinoff spent in England or on the continent, always earning his living in a bourgeois world—as a salesman in England under the name of Henderson, as a teacher in the Berlitz School at Rotterdam, as an architectural draftsman, as a book dealer. His business training is one of his biggest assets in his present job, for he is the only Russian Commissar who thoroughly understands how to deal with representatives of bourgeois countries on



Proudly wearing his black "ten-gallon hat" . . . two buttons conspicuously missing from his overcoat . . . scoring a porter to carry his own bag . . . Foreign Commissar Litvinoff is shown here in a character-revealing photograph of him in a Moscow railway station.

their own ground. Moreover, he thoroughly enjoys it!

Having worked personally with Lenin in England before the Bolshevik revolution, in 1918, Lenin, from Moscow, appointed Litvinoff "Ambassador to England of the Russian people." England already had one Russian Ambassador (appointed by the late Czar), so when Litvinoff began speech making, declaring Russia's intention of making the whole world Bolshevik, they just put Litvinoff in jail.

That happened simultaneously with Moscow's imprisoning of the British High Commissioner R. H. Bruce Lockhart, who had been

accused of conspiracy to overthrow the Bolsheviks. So Russia and England compromised. It is just exactly 15 years ago this month that England traded Litvinoff back to Russia for Lockhart.

### A HATLESS APPOINTEE.

Ever since that day Litvinoff has been in and out of Russia as the official Soviet Minister in Europe. First he served as Assistant Commissar of Foreign Affairs under Tchitcherine, and since 1929, as Commissar.

One of the most interesting anecdotes told in Moscow about Litvinoff concerns his appointment

as Commissar. Apparently the only vanity the man has is his hat. Always, from the beginning of his Bolshevik activities, he has never been without a European version of our 10-gallon hat, a black hat with a big brim. During lean years he wore the same one until it dropped to pieces. But he always wore it. When rumours of Tchitcherine's resignation from the position of Commissar were in the air, everybody in the organization was wondering who would get the job. Several thought they had it. No one had mentioned Litvinoff. So he was surprised one day to pick up the phone and hear Stalin say, "Come on over. I want to talk to you about your new job." He was so excited that he literally ran to Stalin's office and only when he reached there and moved to take his hat off did he realize that in his haste he had left it behind him!

### SUCCESSFUL DIPLOMAT.

By 1924 Litvinoff had secured economic relations with all Europe and actual recognition with most European countries. In 1927 he threw the Disarmament Conference into a panic by rising and making a plea for "immediate and complete destruction of every possible instrument of war on land and sea." Diplomats were not used to straight-from-the-shoulder propositions!

In May, this year he secured a non-aggressive pact with France, declared to be the peak of his amazing achievements. At the World Economic Conference he signed non-aggressive pacts with nine other nations and prepared the way to American recognition by discussing Russia's possible purchase of 70 per cent of our cotton.

In addition to being such a successful diplomat, Litvinoff is probably one of the best family men in Russia. He, Ivy and their two children, a boy of 12 and girl 10, the children's dog, "Brandy," and one servant live in four little rooms over the garage behind the former sugar king's palace. It is in the latter place that they entertain on state occasions in rooms hung with faded tapestry, old masters' paintings, rich carpets and high-backed state chairs. But that is only for such occasions. Their own four rooms and bath are furnished precisely like any Russian's rooms—davenport with velvet worn ragged, weird chairs that don't match, a hat rack for visitor's clothes, and much-washed curtains.

## THE NEW DEAL IN WASHINGTON

### EVERY TIME YOU TURN ROUND YOU STUMBLE ON A CODE

BY WILLIS THORNTON

Washington, Oct. 20.

The codes for the big key industries were constructed in the spotlight, as befitting their vital importance to millions. The pulling and hauling, bluffing and calling, all were fully reported.

Few realize, even here, the vast amount of labour, frenzied argument and protest, desperate insistence and driving, that goes into the making of the hundreds of codes in less vital industries. No newspaper could report them. There are too many of them; they come too fast; yet each is vital to its own group.

### Talk Nothing but Codes

On any of the fast trains into Washington from New York you will see groups of earnest men rehearsing in a circle of brief cases, the arguments with which they intend to overwhelm some deputy administrator on the morrow when their code is discussed. Smoking car conversation has changed from the off-colour story to the economic homily.

Your correspondent was regaled in the smoker on the Congressional Limited by an earnest industrialist, who spent half of the four hours of the New York-Washington trip in marshalling his economic theories of what could be done and what couldn't in his industry. But when his hearing came in Washington the next morning, he was given five minutes to tell it all, told to stick to facts and never mind the oration, and finally presented with a code that laid low every theory he so extravagantly had expounded on the train.

### Wide Variety of Hearings

At one hotel is being conducted the hearing on a code proposed by the National Association of Manufacturers of Smoking Pipes and the American Association of Smoking Pipe Manufacturers. At another is scheduled the hearing of the Stationery, Tablet and School Paper Manufacturing Association. The Cast Iron Pressure Pipe Industry comes next. (That's separate from the Pipe Nipple people.)

Make way for the Novelty Cigarette, Drapery, Bedsprad and Novelty Pillow Industry, which comes next, the Hair and Jute Folks, and the Viscose Extrusion Industry, all of whom must have their say as soon as the National Bottled Gas Association has been heard.

Complaints arise that codes are hastily framed and imperfect. It is just as well to recall that the Lord took six days to make the world, and even He had to rest on the seventh. Surely we must bear with very human deputy administrators in making a new industrial world against the stoic watch.

### Roosevelt Safeguarded

Chief Moran of the Secret Service personally supervises the arrangements these days when President Roosevelt enters or leaves the city. He is on the job in the flesh, personally inspecting every detail of the protective cordon. Miami and the wild bullets of Zangara are not forgotten.

### Beer is Not the Answer

The return of beer has been a disappointment to hotel men, who were among the loudest critics of it as a saviour. At least so reported W. C. Roper of the Atlantic Biltmore at the hotel code hearing. Too many licences to small taverns and stands, the hotel men claimed. Now they look to repeal.

### "Come and Get the Cash"

Public Works Chief Ickes (he also Secretary of the Interior, but nobody thinks of those old titles any more) is making desperate efforts to get the cities to drive in and haul away money for social valuable public works. Presses has been put on him to speed up. In an appeal to mayors to "come and get it," he conducted a stirring address with "A city can accept 30 per cent grant without diminution of pride or self-respect, but of which would be impaired, if destroyed, if it relied altogether upon generosity of the federal government." One Washington cynic grunted, "Well, better keep 70 per cent of your self-respect than none."

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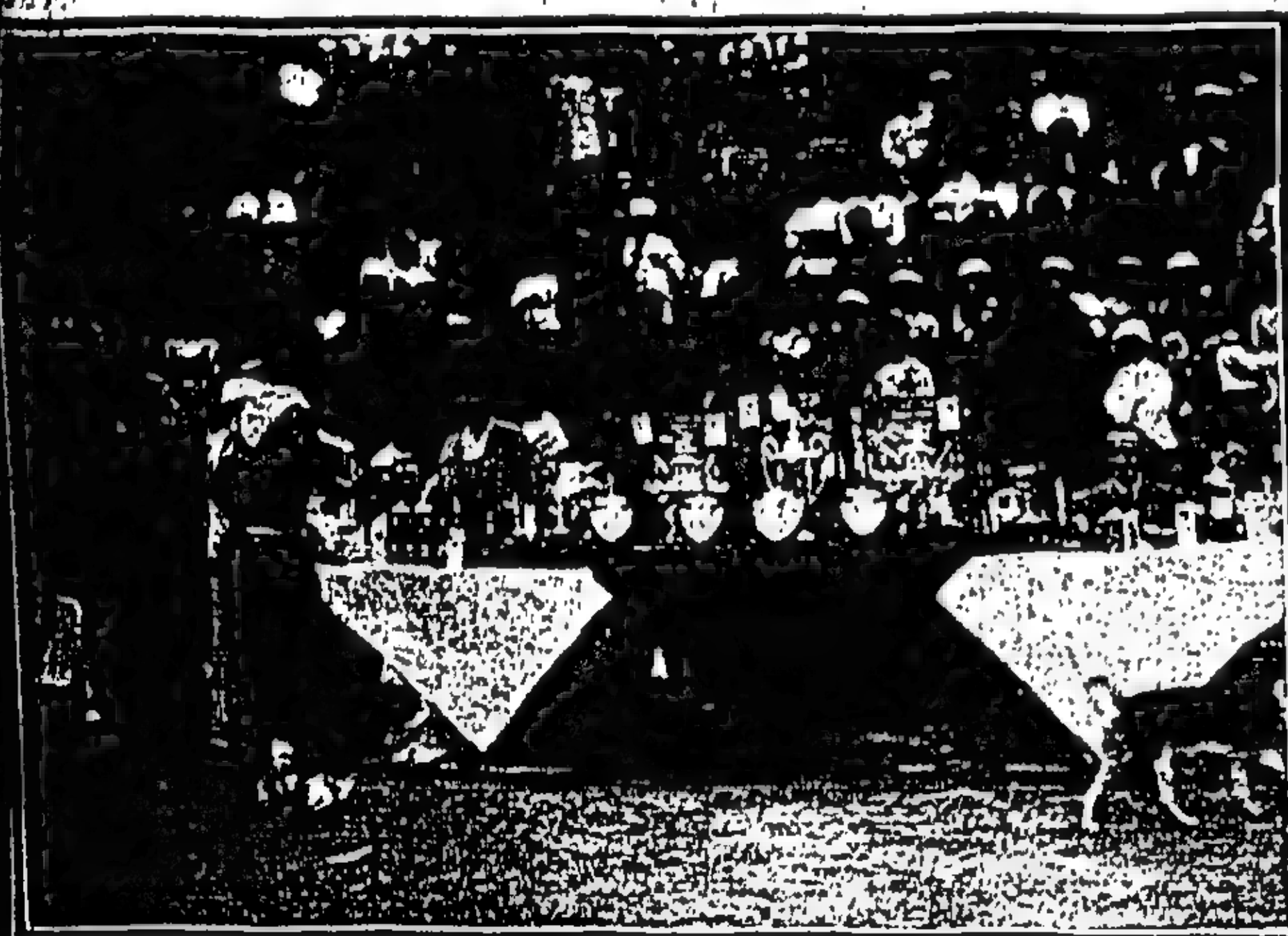
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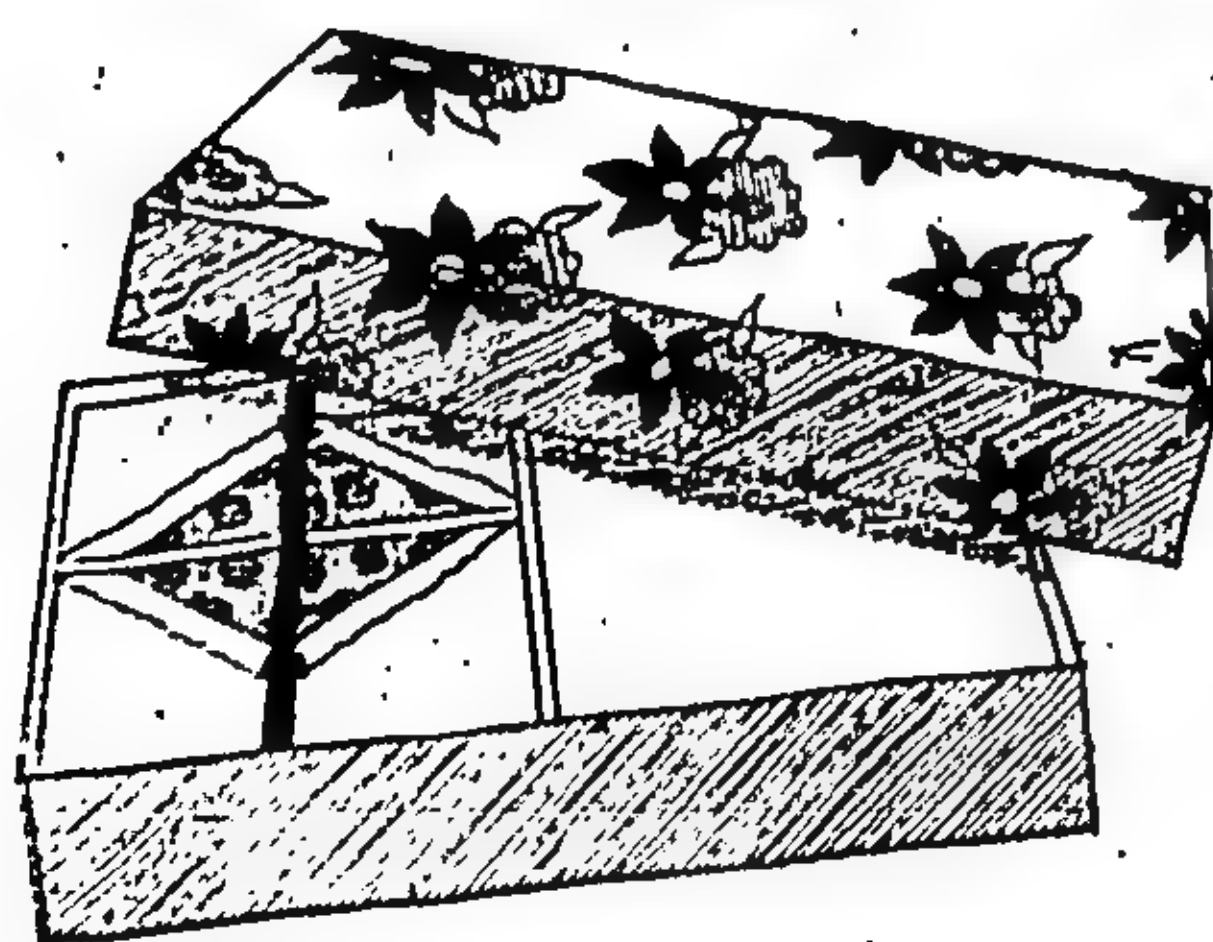


Naval men took charge of the car in which Mr. J. M. Joy and his bride left the Cathedral after their wedding. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Mrs. A. O. Brown presenting prizes at the annual sports meeting of the Cheung Chau Government School. (Photo: Yim Fong Studio).

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Enthusiastic young Scouts, these boys are members of the Hongkong Wolf Cub Pack. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



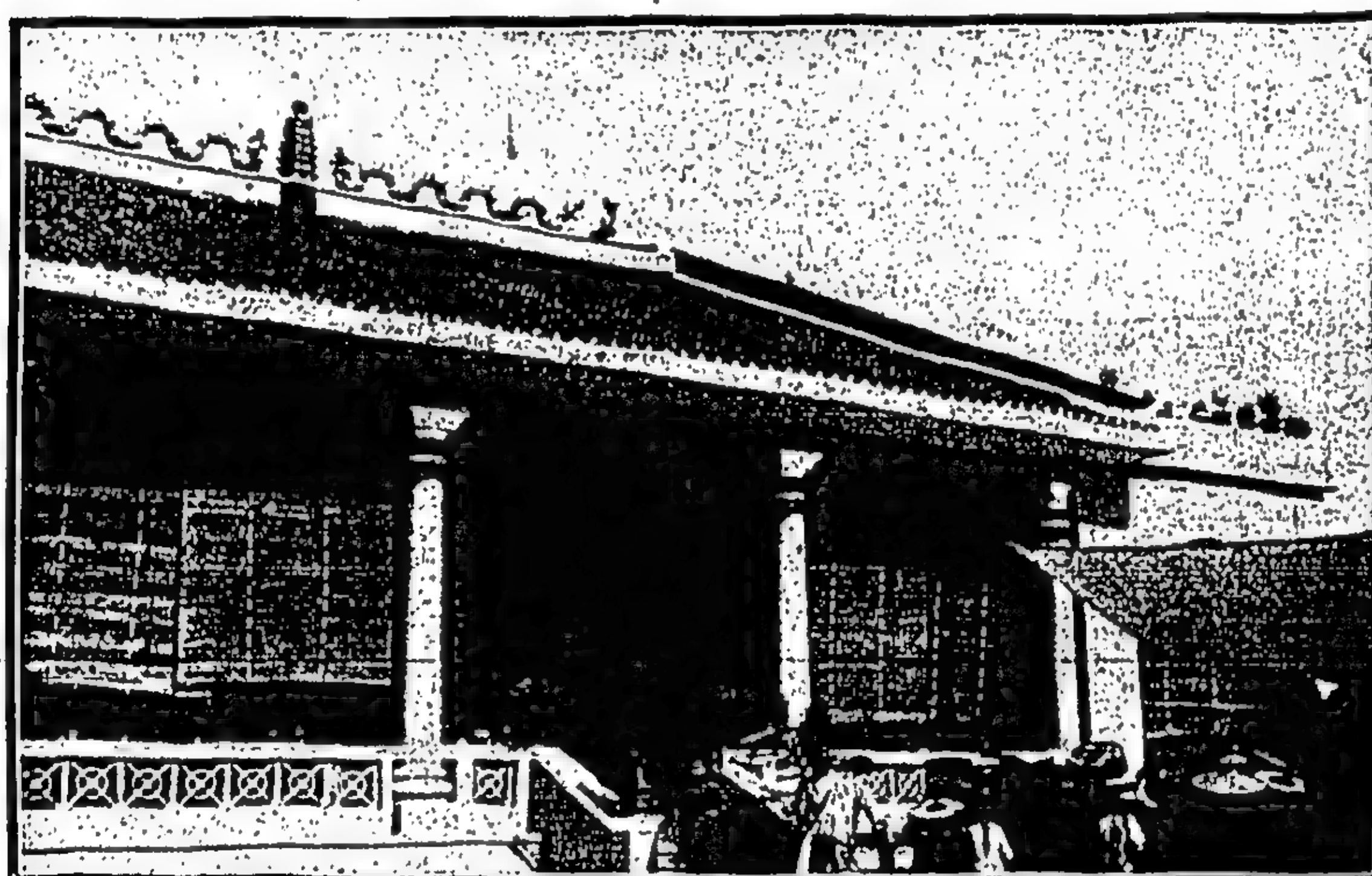
The wedding took place at St. John's Cathedral last Saturday of Mr. J. M. Joy, of the R. F. A. "Francis," and Miss D. A. Crawley, after which the above photograph was taken. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Bridal group taken at the recent wedding of Mr. J. A. Gow, the Chinese Customs Service, and Miss H. J. Masters. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Hundreds of Buddhists attended the opening ceremony of the Temple at Tsun Wan, New Territories, when the above group was taken. Abbot Man Fung performed the ceremony. (Photo: Yim Fong Studio).



An exterior view of the new Buddhist Temple at Tsun Wan, which was recently opened with much ceremony. (Photo: Yim Fong Studio).



The annual golf match at Fanling between the St. George's and St. Andrew's Societies resulted in a win for the former. The participants are seen above. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Above are seen members of the D. (S.) Coy. of the South Wales Borderers who won the Garrison Tennis League and the doubles and singles in the Hongkong Area tennis competition. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Colonel L. G. Bird, Commandant, and other officers of the Defense Corps at the Fanling camp. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



A happy snapshot taken at the Volunteer camp at Fanling. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Colonel Bird conducting kit inspection at the Volunteer camp at Fanling last week-end. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



## WEEK-END SPORTS

## COMPLETE LIST OF FIXTURES

## GOOD SELECTION FOR FANS

## TO-DAY'S CHIEF EVENTS

The following is the *Telegraph* guide to the local sports programme for the week-end.

## TO-DAY.

## FOOTBALL.

1st. Division, K.O. 4.15

Navy v Kowloon—Kowloon Police v Borderers—Police, H.V. Lincolns v St. Joseph's—Sookunpoo v East Lanes—King's Park v Club—Caroline Hill

2nd Division, K.O. 2.45

Navy v Kowloon—Kowloon Lincolns v Young Indians—Sookunpoo v R. Artillery v Club—Club

## 3rd. Division

Recreo v S. China—King's Park R.A.S.C. v Lincolns—Military, H.V. R.A.F. v R.A.M.C.—King's Park R.F. v Radio—Athletic

## RUGBY.

Club v Navy—Club

Club—J. P. Whitham, G. P. Lammer, L. G. Robertson, W. H. B. Riggs, J. C. Ferguson, M. W. Turner, H. C. Mecke, I. H. Bradford, E. F. Walldon, G. A. Stewart, D. A. Cumming, F. R. Burch, K. A. Munro, D. McLellan, and L. de C. Blechynden. Reserves—R. H. Griffiths, J. Hutchison, S. H. Garrod, A. R. Cox, and D. M. Wheeler.

## CRICKET.

League, Div. 1

I.R.C. v C.C.C.—Sookunpoo Army v Navy—King's Park Army—Capt. Williams (R.A.) (Capt), Lt. Walker (R.E.), Lt. Garthwaite (R.A.), Lt. Waring (R.A.), Capt. Mitchell (R.A.), Major Bonavia (R.A.M.C.), Lt. Butler (H.Q.), Lt. Williams (East Lanes), Sgt. Taylor (R.A.P.C.), Private Barnaby (Lincolns), and Sapper Tucker (R.E.). Reserve—Cpl. College (R.A.M.C.).

Umpire—S. M. Jordan, R.E. 2nd Division

C.C.C. v I.R.C.—H. Valley Friendlies

H.K.C.C. v K.C.C.—Cricket Club H.K.C.C. v K. Berne-Coupland, G. E. R. Divett, G. S. Dunkley, A. W. Hayward (capt.), J. B. H. Leckie, O. E. C. Marton, T. A. Pearce, T. E. Pearce, T. M. L. Redmond, P. V. Simpson and R. T. Talbot.

K.C.C.—E. C. Fincher (captain), E. F. Fincher, A. T. Lay, C. I. Stapleton, G. C. Burnett, N. A. E. Mackey, F. S. W. Smith, C. B. R. Sargent, S. V. Gittins, W. Hyde, and R. B. Lewis.

K.C.C. 2nd XI v H.K.C.C. 2nd XI—K.C.C.

H.K.C.C.—A. K. Mackenzie (Captain), C. W. E. Bishop, R. E. Davies, F. A. M. Elliott, O. E. Gahagan, A. H. Harbord, J. E. Jupp, R. O. F. King, L. D. Kilbee, H. C. Mecke and R. S. W. Paterson.

## HOCKEY.

Friendlies

H.K. Ladies v St. Andrews—Sookunpoo, 3.15 St. Andrews'—Mrs. R. Rose, Misses G. White, E. Landolt, I. Woolley, J. Wong, M. Churn, F. Wong, I. Rogers, M. Woolley, I. Gittins and Miss P. Gittins. Recreio v H.K. Ladies—Marina, 2.45

H.K. Ladies—J. Harris Walker, C. Robertson, P. Thorpe, V. Blackburn, A. Owen Hughes, N. Cooper, M. Bishop, J. Whyte, S. Adams, S. Jeffries, and R. King. H.K. Ladies—M. Bird, B. Hebling, M. Wallace, B. Franklin, B. M. Pope, B. Hance, E. R. Boll, J. Dalziel, E. Bonnar, J. Churchill, and E. Goldman.

Medway 2nd XI v Radio 2nd XI—Caroline Hill. C.B.A. Mixed v H.M.S. Cumberland—King's Park. C.B.A.—G. Gurevitch, Mrs. Hudson, S. McNider, Miss E. Beavia, A. Halford, Miss M. Bryson, Miss E. Woolley, R. Carroll, Miss M. Smith, F. W. D. Allen and Mrs. Cressy.

## TENNIS.

Open Mixed Doubles Championship final at C.R.O. "At Home"

## Yaumati School Sports

## SUCCESSFUL MEETING HELD YESTERDAY

The Yaumati Government School held its annual sports meeting at King's Park yesterday afternoon. No fewer than 102 boys representing more than a third of the total number in the school, took part in the various events.

## THE RESULTS.

The full results were as follows: 100 Yards Flat Race (Senior)—1, Lung Chi-lap; 2, Yik Chit-fu; 3, Taul Kwok-fan. 100 Yards Flat Race (Junior)—1, Tang Hon-lu; 2, Poon Sal-fong; 3, Wong Yau-kan. 100 Yards Flat Race (Small Boys)—1, Tang Bik-pui; 2, Wong Kwok-wai; 3, Cheung Hok-hang. High Jump (Senior)—1, Yik Chit-fu; 2, Lung Chi-lap; 3, Au Tat-kwong. High Jump (Junior)—1, Poon Sal-fong; 2, Ip Chit-hung; 3, Li Sui-pang. Long Race (Small Boys)—1, Poon Sal-lu; 2, Wong Kwok-wai; 3, Pun Yau-kan. Long Jump (Senior)—1, Cheung Chak-man; 2, U Shu-tung; 3, Lung Chi-lap. Long Jump (Junior)—1, Tang Hon-lu; 2, Lung Hon-kwong; 3, Wong Yau-kan.

Egg and Spoon Race (Small Boys)—1, Wong Kwok-wai; 2, Sung Wai-kuen; 3, Liu Wing-wa. Three-legged Race—1, Chan Man-cheuk and Leung Chi-wai; 2, Ho Shoung-chi and Lung Chi-keung; 3, Sung Wai-kyun and Taul Kwok-cheung. 300 Yards Flat Race (Senior)—1, Lung Chi-lap; 2, Yik Chit-fu; 3, Lung Ju-kuen. 300 Yards Flat Race (Junior)—1, Wong Yau-kan; 2, Tang Hon-lu; 3, Lung Hon-kwong. 300 Yards Flat Race (Small Boys)—1, Man Sing-lu; 2, Wong Kwok-wai; 3, Cheung Hok-hang. Sack Race—1, Poon Sal-fong; 2, Li Sui-pang; 3, Li Chai-fai. Half-Mile Flat Race—1, Cheung Chak-man; 2, Yip Chit-hung; 3, Taul Kwok-fan. Consolation Race—1, Poon Sal-fong; 2, Kwok Wai-pan; 3, Ma Kwok-pui. 400 Yards Flat Race (Past Pupils)—1, To Chan-ah; 2, Li Chung-man; 3, Wong Yau-kan. Class Team Race—1, Class 4A. Junior Class Team Race—1, Class 7. Tug-of-War—1, B Classes. Senior Champion—Lung Chi-lap (14 points). Junior Champion—Tang Hon-lu.

## CRICKET RULING

## LEG THEORY BEFORE GOVERNING BODIES

London, Nov. 24. At a joint meeting of the Advisory County Committee and the Home Test Match Control Board, it was today decided that no alteration would be made nor was desirable in the law relative to the leg theory of bowling.

It was agreed, however, that bowling obviously directly attacking the batsman was an offence against the spirit of the game.

The conference expressed itself as being confident that the captains would never countenance bowling of such a type.

The leg theory or "body-line" tactics employed by some fast bowlers recently led to a warm dispute in the world of cricket, particularly as between Australian and English elements. The matter is now believed to have been settled in so far as it affects test cricket.

Causeway Bay, 3.30 p.m.

## LAWN BOWLS.

Closing Day of the Kowloon Bowling Green Club, 2.30 p.m.

## BOWLING.

V.R.C. Interport Regatta at Kowloon Bay, 2.30 p.m.

## YACHTING.

Second Championship Race for Racing Yachts of the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club.

## SUNDAY.

## Football

Army v Combined Chinese—Sookunpoo, 4 p.m.

## 2nd Division

Athletic v S. China—Club, 2.45

## HOCKEY.

Mamak Tourney

St. Andrew's v 12th Batt, R.A.—Police, 4 p.m.

## Friendlies

C.B.A. v Incognitos

## Englishman Escapes From The Legion

## HIDDEN UNDER BUS SEAT

Gibraltar, Nov. 1.

A young Englishman who escaped from the French Foreign Legion in Morocco after years of hardship is now safely on the high seas on his way home.

He is Eric Birkinshaw, aged 24, of Cater-avenue, Tang-Hill, on the outskirts of York. He enrolled in the "Legion of the Lost" at Dunkirk in May, 1930.

When his chance came last month to escape from his base at Sidi Del Abbas, he hid himself under the seat of a bus and so reached Oran. There he stowed away in a British steamer and landed at the Andalusian port of Almeria. Birkinshaw walked thence to Gibraltar, a distance of about 300 miles.

Mrs. Birkinshaw, mother of the escaped man, told a reporter that her son had once before attempted to escape, but had failed, and was imprisoned for 60 days. She had been without news of him for two months.

Jats v Navy Lower Deck—Marina, 4.15 Lower Deck—McMeekin (Berwick); Tel. Steers (Medway); Hooper (Verity) Mondy (Cumberland) Reid (Kent), Swann (Medway); Hetherington (Cumberland); Tyman (Kestrel), McCrae (Medway), Johnson (Berwick) and Walls (Cumberland).

## CRICKET.

Friendly

Police v Victoria Recreation Club—Police

## GOLF.

Concluding matches in first round of the Stubbs' Shield.

## DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

During Thursday, one case of meningitis was reported to the local health authorities.

Mr. Geoffrey Miskin, Vice-Consul for Sweden at Hongkong, received charge of the Swedish Vice-Consulate, on 22nd inst.

Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Eaves, D.S.O., resumed duties as Assistant Land Officer and Deputy Registrar of Marriages, on 22nd inst.

It is notified that at the expiration of three months, the name of the Kai Tai Land and Investment Company, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register and the company will be dissolved.

During the dinner dance to-night in the grill room of the Hongkong Hotel, the popular artists Escandell and Rosita will provide entertainment in their usual fascinating numbers of Spanish dances and songs, for which they have already earned considerable reputes.

The Netherlands Harbour Works Company has just issued a most effective illustrated brochure showing the nature and extent of the work carried out in all parts of the world by its highly skilled technical staff and experienced workers. Harbour works, reclamations and dredging contracts have been undertaken not only in the Far East, but also in Europe, Africa and elsewhere. There are over fifty pages of striking illustrations, including works undertaken in Hongkong, Canton, Macao and Amoy. Altogether, the book provides ample indication of the capacity of the firm for handling large works calling for marked engineering skill.

## GERMANY NOT A TARGET

(Continued from Page 1.)

no difference to Britain's resolve to do everything possible to make her again a partner in friendly discussions.

In recent weeks a number of tentative suggestions has arisen on the German side. Sir John referred to a speech by Hitler before the elections and to a more recent interview with him in a great French newspaper, which called for most considered examination by all seeking peace and reconciliation. Therefore, when they came to consider the immediate course to pursue at Geneva, it appeared there might be good reason for providing a period in which parallel and supplementary efforts might be made.

Of course, if those who put forward that sort of suggestion had, at the back of their minds, the abandonment of the efforts of the Disarmament Conference itself, the British Government would have nothing to do with it at all. That would be a fatal blow to the whole work of co-ordinated disarmament.

## ITALY AND FRANCE.

He wished to acknowledge that Italy had made most valuable contribution towards agreement. There had been some very strongly-phrased declarations made shortly before by the head of the Italian Government, but while he (Sir John Simon) was at Geneva, the Italian Government authorised their representatives to explain that Italy was not seeking to avoid the continued good work of the Conference, but was anxious to co-operate with the rest in whatever precise line of procedure turned out to be the best.

In the same way, it was made clear that the French Government would not assume a rigid position, but was anxious for a procedure which could be so shaped as to produce the best prospects of results in the least possible time. The French representatives were as insistent as the British that the Disarmament conference should be kept in being. That was the situation which resulted in the meeting of the Bureau last Wednesday, when an absolutely unanimous view was taken. By good feeling, good sense and complete and friendly co-operation, there had been unanimity on procedure, which was an essential preliminary to agreement on substance.

## BRITAIN'S AIM.

The Government had already taken a step to play their full part in endeavouring to promote diplomatic consultations. They had made it plain to the French Government that if they could see their way to enter into closer communication with the German Government, they would have Britain's complete goodwill in so doing. They had indicated to the German Government that the attentive note of the declarations recently made by Herr Hitler and other German statesmen had been taken, and the whole of British influence would be used for trying to bring about a spirit of negotiation and co-operative action, instead of keeping Germany at a distance.

Britain had communicated with the Italian Government to say how well satisfied she was to learn that they agreed as to the importance of keeping the Disarmament Conference in being. The Draft Convention still held the field at Geneva, but a vast amount remained to be done before the second reading could usefully be undertaken, not for the want of will or determination, but owing to fundamental difficulty of finding a way to reconcile rival ambitions and separate suspicions and to adjust the whole elaborate scheme to suit 65 nations.

## MR. EDEN'S PLEA.

In a speech in Warwickshire this evening, Mr. Anthony Eden said the disarmament situation at present was such that greater energy than ever must be exerted to carry through the work of the Conference. The world simply could not afford to contemplate a race in armaments which must be the outcome of its failure. But those who believed in the use of the League of Nations for a settlement of international disputes had even greater reason for anxiety. They could not blind themselves to the fact that if the Conference failed, that system would sustain a shock of exceeding severity. Every difficulty which had to be met owing to the course of events in recent years had served further to convince him of the vital need for a strong and truly representative League of Nations. Support of the League was to-day, and he trusted would always be, the cardinal feature of British foreign policy.—*British Wireless*.

Mr. A. Kriegl, of the United States Court in Shanghai, and Mrs. Kriegl, arrived from Manila on the President Coolidge on their way to Shanghai and will spend a few days in Hongkong, having taken up apartments at Repulse Bay Hotel.

## RADIO BROADCAST

## WEEK-END BROADCAST

## RELAY OF HONGKONG HOTEL DANCE ORCHESTRA

From Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 855 metres: 4-7 p.m. Chinese programme of recorded music. 7-9 p.m. European programme. 7-8.15 p.m. Transcription Programme. 8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.15-9 p.m. Variety Programme selected from Z.B.W.'s Library. Organ Solo—Always. Organ Solo—Dinah.

9-11.30 p.m. Jose Crawford. Song—Toi, c'est moi. Mol, c'est toi.

Song—Tout au Bord de la Mer. Chanson Vierge—Mme. Berthe Delny. Orchestral—Second Serenade. Orchestral—Chanson Hindoue. Jean Lensen and His Orchestra. Song—La Caravane. Song—Les Artichauts.

Organ Solo—Chant of the Jungle. Organ Solo—Tip-Too Thru' the Tulips with Me.

9-11.30 p.m. Jose Crawford. Song—Une Nuit au Louvre—Tout depend du point de vue. Song—Une Nuit au Louvre—La vie n'est faite que de moments.

11-12.15 p.m. M. Koval. Accordion Solo—La Valse des Accordeonistes. Accordion Solo—La Polka des petites filles.

12.15-1.30 p.m. Fred Gardoni and Manuel Puig avec Banjo.

9-11.30 p.m. A relay of the Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel Grill Room by courtesy of the Management. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio). 10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

## SUNDAY'S PROGRAMME.

10-11 a.m. A relay of St. Joseph's Church Service.

I. Holy Mass: (a) Kyrie (Perosi); (b) Sermon: "Fifth Commandment: Sacredness of Life," by Rev. Fr. MacDonald, S.J.; (c) Offertory; (d) Sanctus, Benedictus and Agnus Dei (Perosi).

II. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament: (a) Quid retribuam; (b) Tantum Ergo; (c) Adoramus.

11-12.15 p.m. A relay of St. Paul's Church Service.

Preacher—Rev. Sing Ching Yee, D. D. General Secretary of National Christian Council of China.

Dr. Sing will preach in English with a Chinese interpreter. 12.15-2.30 p.m. European programme of recorded music.

1 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report. 2.30 p.m. Close Down.

4.30-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme. 7-10 p.m. European programme. 7-8.30 p.m. Operatic Selections.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report. 2.30 p.m. Close Down.

7-10 p.m. European programme. 7-8.30 p.m. Operatic Selections. 8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

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Vocal Duet—Miserere ("Il Trovatore"—Verdi). Navis Bennett and John Turner. Vocal Gems—Il Trovatore—(Verdi). Grand Opera Company.

Pianoforte Solo—Rigoletto Paraphrase de Concert (Verdi—List). Alfred Cortot.

Orchestral—Faust—Ballet Music (Gounod). Royal Opera Orchestra, Convent Garden.

Song—Samson et Dalila—My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice (Saint-Saens). Song—Samson et Dalila—Dallia's Song of Spring (Saint-Saens).

Violin Solo—Le Coq d'Or—Hymn to the Sun (Rimsky-Korsakov—Franko). Violin Solo—Thais—Meditation (Massenet).

Vocal Gems—Mignon (Thomas). Vocal Gems—Tales of Hoffmann (Offenbach).

Orchestral—Gottterdammerung—Song of the Rhine Daughters (Wagner). Sir Henry J. Wood conducting the New Queen's Hall Orchestra.

Orchestral—The Valkyries—The Ride of the Valkyries (Wagner). Sir Henry J. Wood conducting the New Queen's Hall Orchestra.

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5. Concerto for 2 violins and Piano. 1st violin—Prof. N. A. Tonoff. 2nd violin—P. R. Antonio.

6. Concerto for 2 violins and Piano. 1st violin—Prof. N. A. Tonoff. 2nd violin—P. R. Antonio.

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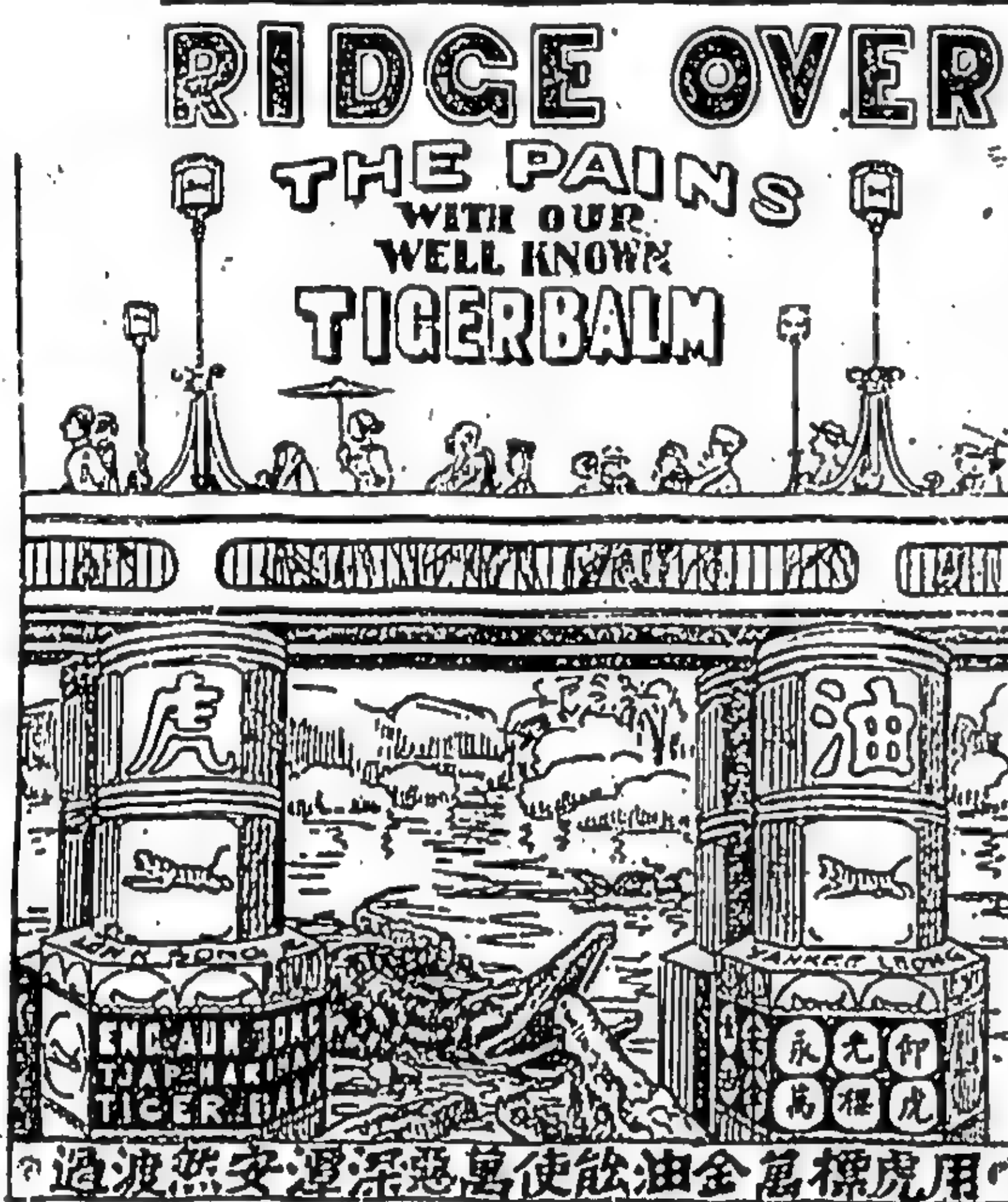
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#### A "Dead" Man Recovers

Next the plotters tried to kill their victim by knocking him down with a motor-car and twice running over him. He was taken to hospital apparently dead, but made a miraculous recovery and reappeared in his old haunts a few weeks later.

The conspirators then placed Molloy on a diet of wood alcohol, poisoned oysters and sardines with powdered tin in them. He still survived, and then one night of hard frost they made him drunk, stripped him of his clothes, drenched him with water and left him to die of exposure in a deserted part of Bronx.

Molloy returned the next day without even having caught a cold.

Finally this apparently invulnerable derelict was killed by a gas tube thrust into his mouth.

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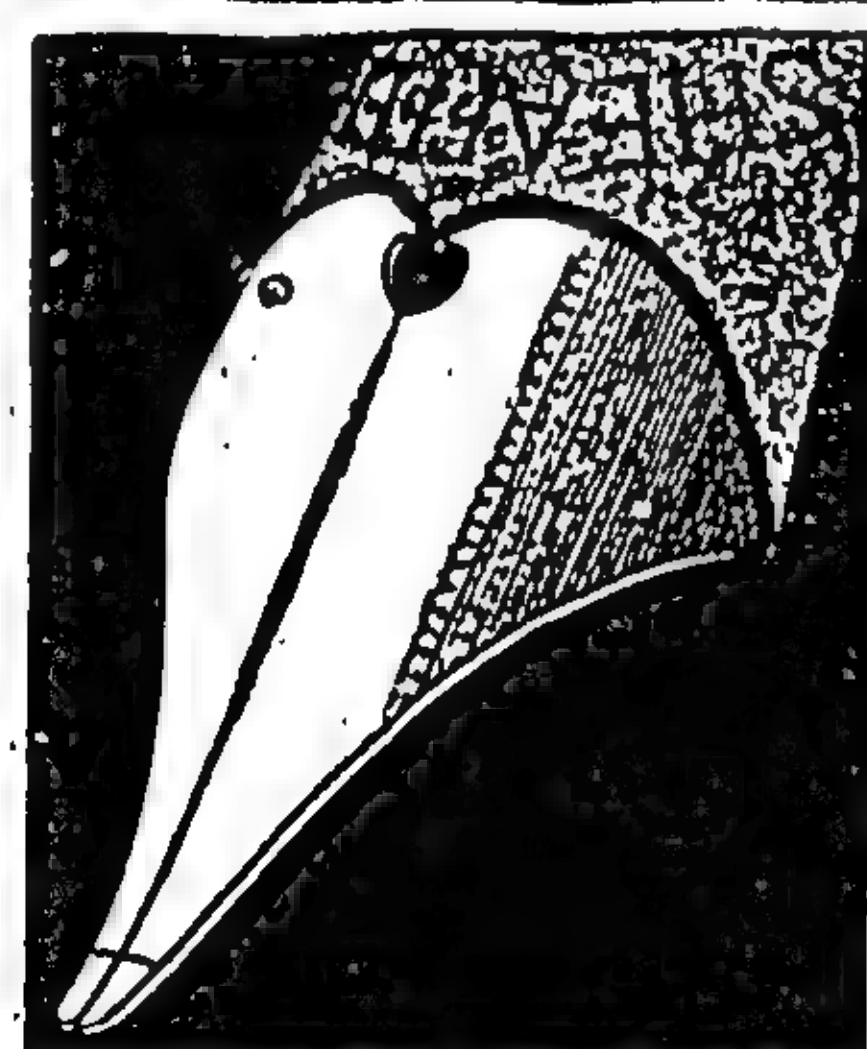


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## MUSSOLINI ON 'MASTER OTTO'

### DREAM OF YOUNG PRETENDER

Milan, Oct. 30.  
A WARNING to the 20-year-old Archduke Otto, Pretender to the Austrian throne of the Hapsburgs, is contained in an article, unsigned but generally attributed to Signor Mussolini.

Referring to reports of a declaration by the young Archduke read at a meeting of Austrian Legitimists in Vienna, in which he was quoted as attacking Fascism, and calling for the return to Austria of the Trentino, the article, which appears in the *Popolo d'Italia*, states:

"Otto's dislike of Fascism leaves us perfectly unconcerned... 'Master Otto' should know that his aspirations may remain perpetually in the stages of a dream, unless Italy gives her consent to their fruition."

Death-knell of Hapsburgs  
"It was announced at the Legitimist meeting that should Archduke Otto marry Princess Maria of Italy, Italy would hand back to Austria the Province of Bolzano (the Trentino acquired by Italy under the Treaty of St. Germain).

"We know nothing of this marriage proposal, but we must promptly point out that such a hypothesis is a 'kolossal' absurdity."

"The Province of Bolzano will remain Italian, even if thousands of marriages instead of one took place."

"The Austrian Legitimists should remember that the death-knell of the Hapsburgs sounded on Nov. 4, 1918."

"They should know," concludes the article, "that Fascist Italy is maintaining a good watch on the Brenner Pass (between the Trentino and Austria), where is inscribed the motto of the Roman legionaries: 'Here we stand to the last.'"  
—*British United Press.*

### FINGER PRINTS

#### IS THE SYSTEM INFALLIBLE?

Lord Clyde, in the Scottish Court of Criminal Appeal said it was a pity that Scotland Yard experts had claimed at a prisoner's trial that the finger-print system was infallible.

He would have preferred, that they had stated that over a protracted experience the system had proved to be highly reliable.

"It might be," he said "that a case would occur in which absolute reliability would prove to be broken."

He would be very sorry to accept it as part of the truth universal that no two persons' fingers could ever possibly be exactly alike.

The case was one in which a man convicted of shopbreaking urged that the only evidence against him was that of a single finger-print.

His appeal was dismissed.

## AN OLD STORY RECOUNTED

### PRINCE AND THE FORTUNE-TELLER

Oslo.  
How the future of the King of Norway was foretold many years ago by a fortune teller is now revealed in the Scandinavian journal of Modern Occultism. The story is told by an old Danish sailor, Mr. A. A. Seligman.

In 1898, King Haakon of Norway, who was then Prince Charles of Denmark, was a young naval officer serving in the Danish corvette "Dagmar".

When the ship put in at Messina, the Prince and some brother officers called upon the Danish shipbroker, Mr. Peter Hansen.

Now Mr. Hansen's wife was a Stellan who was said to be able to tell fortunes. She did not know the identity of the royal visitor when he arrived at her house with his shipmates, but as soon as she saw him she asked him if he would speak alone with her for a few moments.

"You are born to a crown," she told him, in the course of their conversation.

"But you will change your name, though not your language," Prince Charles did not believe her then. The prophecy could only come true if his grandfather,

## "LEADER" HITLER

### A TITLE WHICH IS EXCLUSIVE

Berlin.  
There is only one "leader" in Germany, and he is Adolf Hitler. No one else in Germany is to use that title.

The Nazi district-leader of Wurttemberg has issued an announcement prohibiting the "abusive use" of the title of leader.

President and chairmen of local clubs are forbidden to refer to themselves as "leaders" of their organisations, but must use their precise titles.—*Reuter.*

his father and his brother (present King of Denmark) should die, he thought. He did not tell anyone what Mrs. Hansen had said—but he wrote it down and handed the account in a sealed envelope to Captain Saabye, who was in command of the corvette.

Seven years later—in 1905—the Union of Norway and Sweden was dissolved and Prince Charles was elected King of Norway.

He changed his name to Haakon. He did not change his language. He still speaks Danish, which language is perfectly well understood in Norway.

On becoming King, he gave Captain Saabye permission to open

## £100,000 A YEAR MORE FOR MILK

### HOSPITALS' FEAR OF MARKETING SCHEME

Fear that unless special concessions are made by the Milk Marketing Board, British hospitals may have to pay nearly £100,000 more each year for milk are expressed by Mr. R. H. P. Orde, secretary of the British Hospitals' Association.

Mr. Orde explained that the Milk Board is authorising a "prevailing retail price" in each region below which milk will not be sold. "This will mean, on the face of it, that instead of buying milk at the most advantageous price consistent with high grade quality, we shall be forced to pay the prevailing price."

"Unless the Board, to which we have already put our case, concedes a special rate for hospitals, we estimate that our milk will cost £100,000 a year more than in the past."

"What will happen I do not know, but milk is an essential for us; there is no substitute and it will be hard if we are hit like this."

the sealed envelope. Captain Saabye told the story to Mr. Seligman.—*Reuter.*

## THE AVERAGE GIRL

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#### Half Million More Users

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## SHOCK FOR JINJA MOTORISTS

### CROCODILE ON NILE BRIDGE

Nairobi.  
The huge bridge which spans the headwaters of the Nile at Jinja, carrying the rail and road traffic, is also appreciated by the wild life.

Two motorists were startled when their car lights picked out a huge form in the middle of the bridge roadway.

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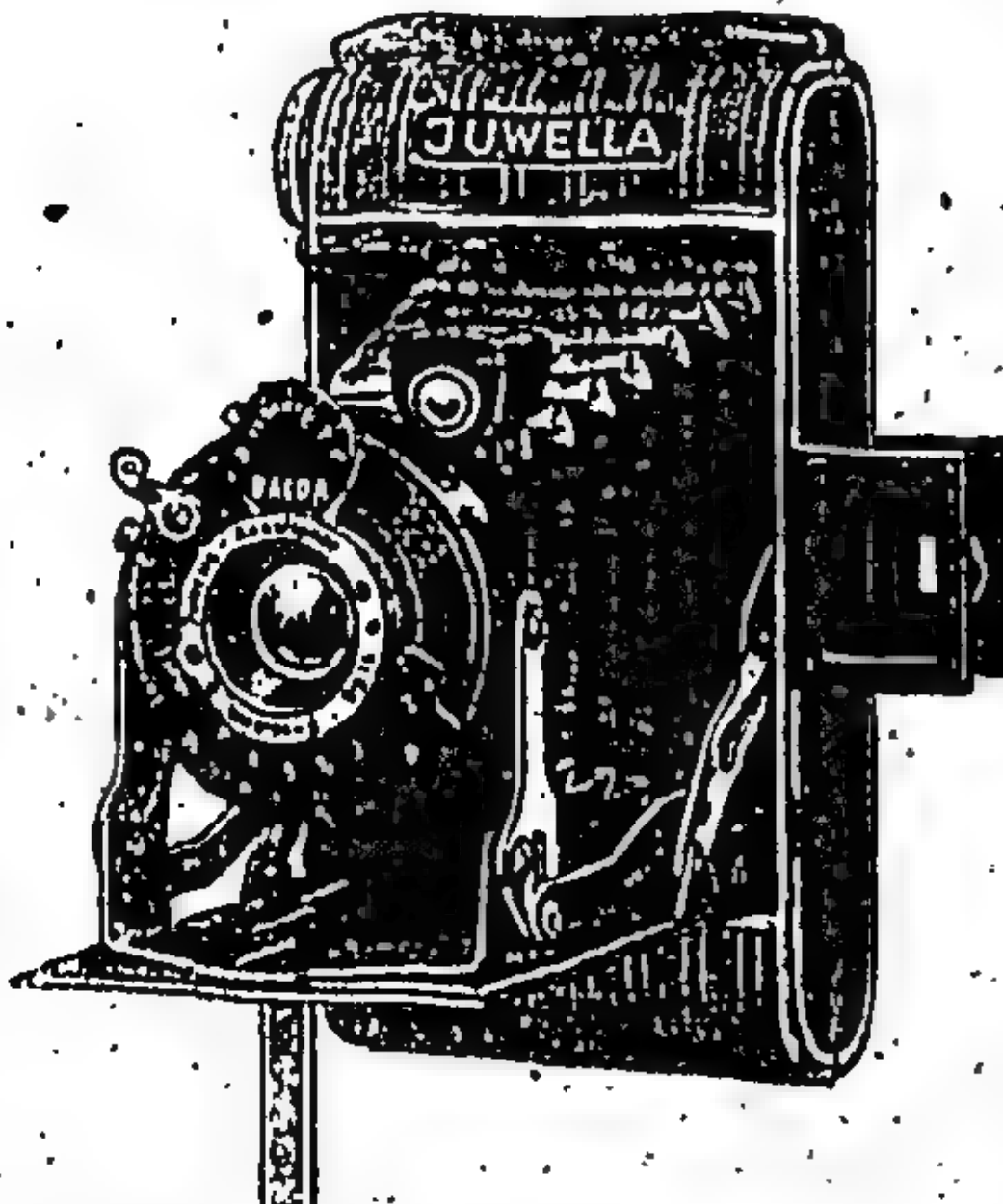


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### SOLVING SLUM PROBLEM

#### TEN STOREY HOMES FOR LONDON

A LARGE proportion of London's 250,000 slum-dwellers will probably be rehoused in nine-storey or ten-storey flats, with lifts. The decision of the London County Council has not yet been finally taken.

Mr. H. R. Selley, chairman of the Housing Committee, has recently been to Paris to examine buildings there. He has been studying for some time the feasibility of tall buildings which do not involve such heavy quantities of iron and steel as formerly were required.

The L.C.C. slum clearance plan will cost £35,000,000 and take 10 years or more to complete.

Mr. Selley says:—"We expect under the scheme to provide better housing conditions for 250,000 people. Although we shall not be misled into experimenting with spectacular forms of construction, we shall be able to provide each tenant with the necessary comfort of modernity."

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The timber contracts alone will, it is believed, amount to £1,500,000. Preference will be given to British and Empire supplies.

Another member of the Housing Committee said:—"I don't think there is any way of getting over our problem of rehousing without using lofty flats."

"We have in mind nine or ten-storey buildings with lifts, and the rents would be about the same as the slum dwellers are now paying."

"But even with the flats we can 'decant' only 60 or 70 per cent. of people on the site. The others will have to go outside their present area."

"I think in the next month or six weeks we shall have made definite arrangements regarding South London—the Woolwich, Deptford, Lewisham and Greenwich areas; and possibly Bermondsey will be included. South London plans would affect, I imagine, 50,000 people."

The County of London has 20,000 insanitary houses in 1,500 groups.

Stepney has the highest number of insanitary houses—over 3,000. Others which have more than 1,000 are Lambeth, Southwark, Bermondsey, Bethnal Green and Shoreditch.

One of the chief difficulties is the lack of rehousing sites, especially in Stepney, Bermondsey and the river-side areas.

One proposal has been to erect temporary accommodation by huts in Victoria Park and other open spaces but it is very doubtful if

it will be adopted.

The L.C.C. had been active previously to the £35,000,000 scheme being approved in July. It had begun to deal with 16 areas covering 32 acres which involve displacing and rehousing 7,500 people.

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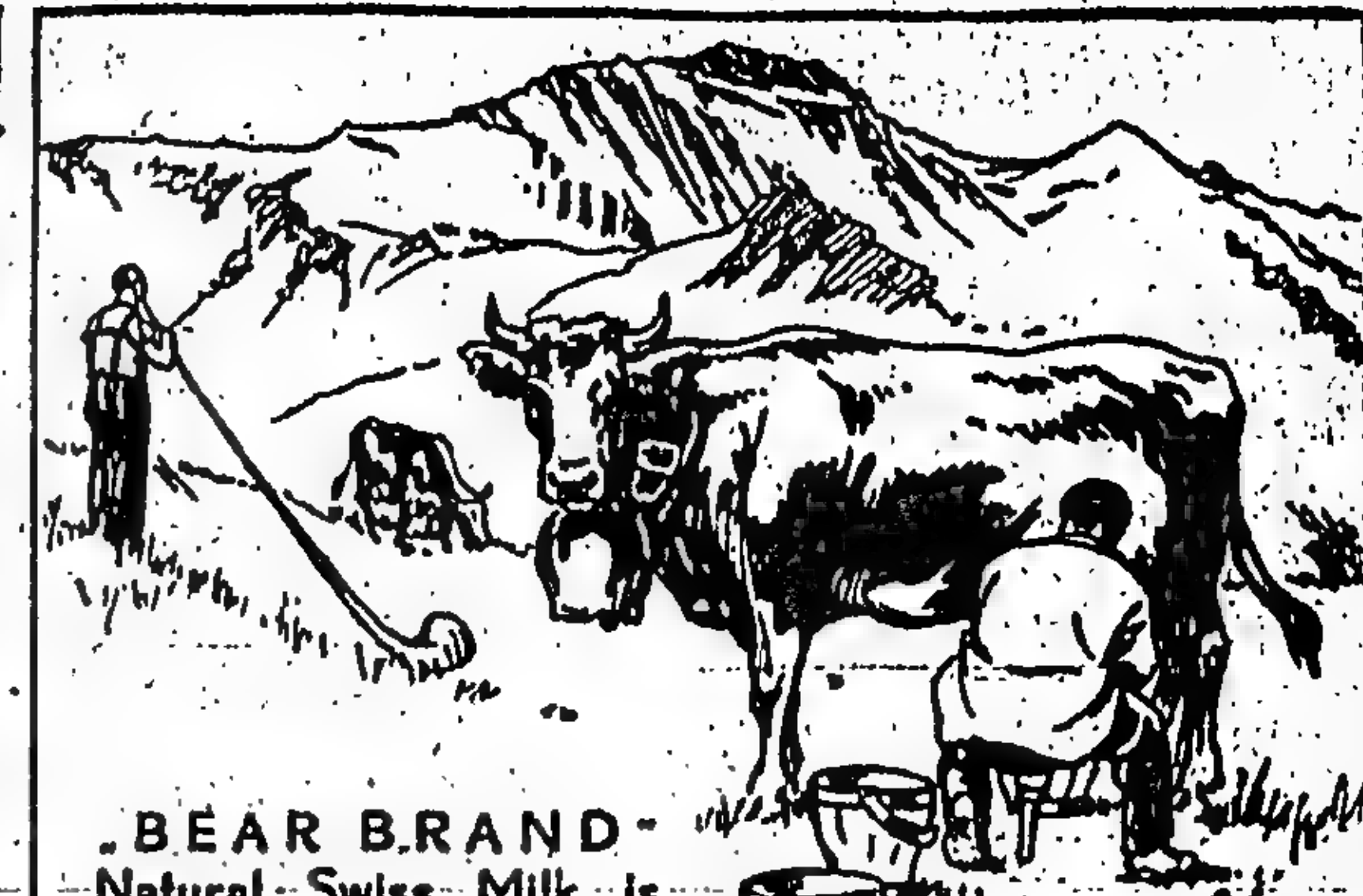
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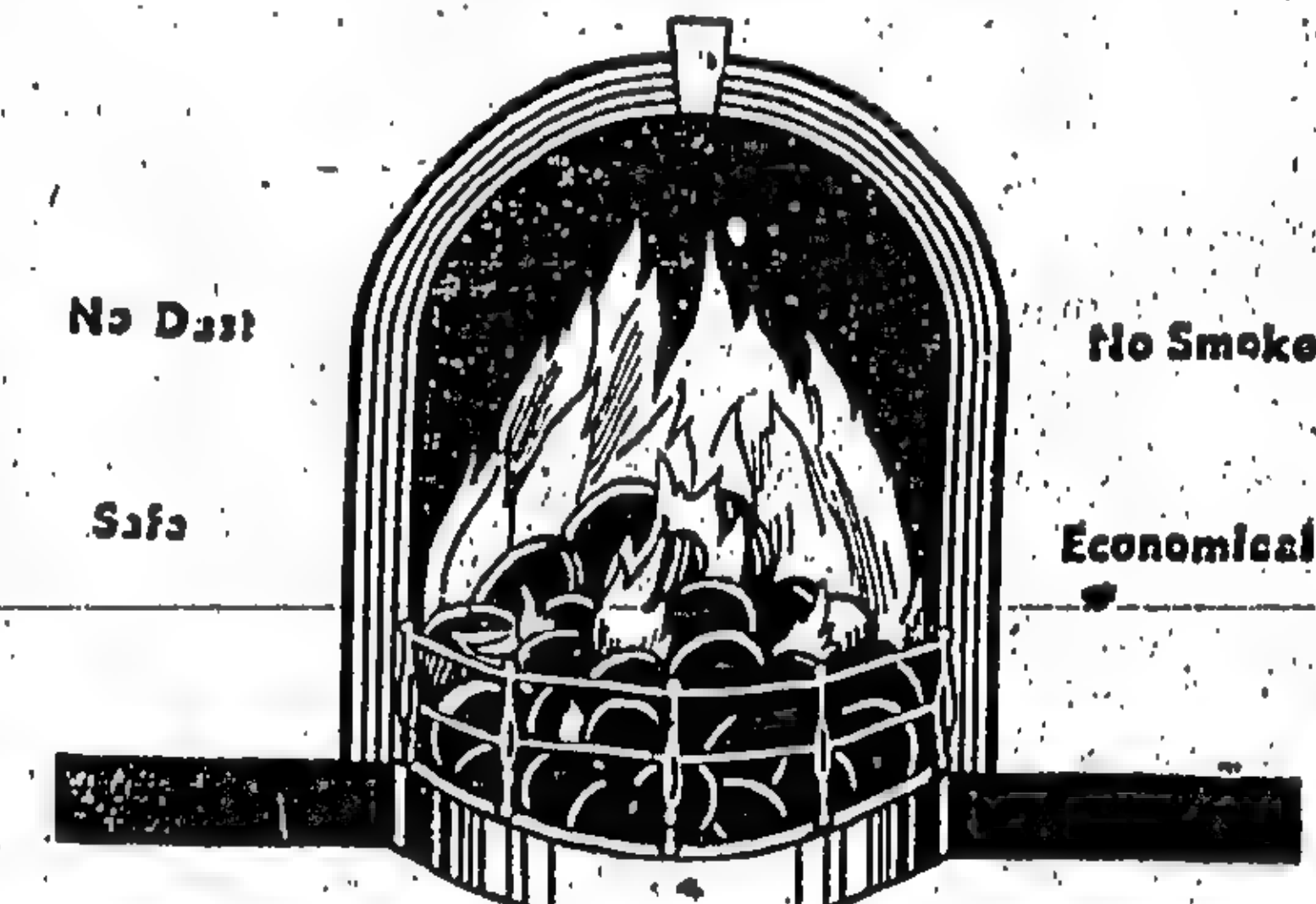
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# WHY I AM TOURING THE FAR EAST

## TO AID YOU WITH YOUR BILLIARDS

AND RENEW OLD ACQUAINTANCES

## GETTING TO TOP OF THE TREE

(By Willie Smith)  
Champion Billiards Player.

In this article the world-famous Billiards player tells why Burroughes & Watts have organised his present tour of the East.

No man ever had a more pleasingly enthusiastic reception among the sports people of the East than had I on my first tour four years ago.

If I except the now historic case of my trousers being stolen, everything on that tour made up to one long succession of enjoyable days and nights among the hospitable sports lovers in the East.

I believe too that the tour was instructive for those people who watched my games. The pleasure, I hope and believe, was not one-sided.

I do know that my mail for some months afterwards (and still to-day if in lesser volume) was heavy with correspondence from the East expressive of the pleasure that Billiards enthusiasts had derived from watching the games.

It is with the hope of renewing many desirable acquaintances that my coming is planned, and with the additional hope that I shall be enabled to help still further to enjoy Billiards those who are attracted to the game.

TO ATTRACT NEW PLAYERS. Another ambition of mine is that this tour will bring into the game fresh players to whom as yet it is only a name.

This Billiards game is so easy to enjoy; it is so full of simple, recreational pleasure that one feels it ought to be brought to the ken of more and more people.

That has been a big part of my job in recent years, bringing the fascination of Billiards to the notice of more and more people. I reckon that there are 2,000,000 people in Great Britain playing Billiards solely for the enjoyment they get out of it. In America it is said there are 8,000,000 players. Surely Billiards has more adherents than has any game under the sun. And all those people cannot be wrong! Billiards must have the virtues making for the enjoyment that we claim for it!

There then, in outline, is my chief reason for again hitting the trail to the East. My friends tell me I am playing as well as ever I did. John Roberts made his record break when he was 10 years older than I am now. So you see I have a long way to go before I may say I am past the age when Billiards players make records. I should like to put one in the Eastern records.



WILLIE SMITH.

### MUST WATCH TO LEARN.

In my amateur days I watched the professionals as often as I might, but a linotype operator working on a daily paper (i.e. night duty) has little chance in that direction. Nevertheless I picked up a lot of hints from the few opportunities I had and I am certain that I should never have been enabled to make the progress I have made had it not been for the learning I acquired by watching the better players and studying their methods.

I found that the more I saw of Billiards the more I became fascinated and the more I learned. As I learned the better became my ambition. Practice, of course, was necessary. I got little of it, but without actual tuition I was able to make a break of 279 before I quit the linotype and took up Billiards as a profession.

Even after becoming a professional my Billiards never became a task; it was always a pleasure whether it was practice or match play.

My present tour, will, I hope, be productive of more knowledge of Billiards in the players of the East. It will, I hope, consolidate all the friendships I made four years ago and I hope further it will enable me to make some new acquaintances.

### CORRESPONDENCE

American Football League.

The Sports Editor, Hongkong Telegraph, Sir:—I notice in your Thursday's issue that the South China American Football Team has claimed the championship of the American Football League for last year.

If I remember correctly, only three games were played in South China last year: one game against the Canton team twice—one game against the municipal team and the other against the combined teams and Hongkong played the municipal team once. In view of the fact, how can the Hongkong team claim the championship?

Furthermore, it was said that the Hongkong team beat the Lingnan team last year. How can a team win a game they did not play unless the game was won in a dream.

In fairness to the Lingnan team, this error should be made known to the public. It would be greatly appreciated if you can see your way to publish this letter.

YINGNAN STUDENT.

## S. African Tennis Rankings

### ROBBINS HEADS MEN'S LIST

The South African Lawn Tennis Union have issued the following rankings for the year ending July 31 last:—

- MEN.
1. C. J. J. Robbins (4).
  2. N. G. Farquharson (3).
  3. V. G. Kirby (2).
  4. J. Condon (6).
  5. F. H. Lowe (8).
  6. N. Malcolm (7).
  7. L. Raymond (5).
  8. E. B. Gelez (—).
  9. G. Eaglestone (9).
  10. M. Bertram (1).
  11. H. Dandel (11).
  12. G. D. Ballance (12).

### LADIES.

1. Mrs. Miller (1).
2. Mrs. Robbins (4).
3. Mrs. F. H. Lowe (5).
4. Miss de Smidt (2).
5. Miss D. Kilson (7).
6. Miss D. Cole (8).
7. Miss V. Everett (6).
8. Miss K. Rodd (10).
9. Miss D. Craze (—).
10. Miss E. Cook (12).
11. Miss Morphet (—).
12. Miss Hopkins (11).

The figures in parentheses refer to the positions of the players in last year's list.

It will be noted that C. J. J. Robbins, who won the South African championship in April by a win over V. G. Kirby in the final (6-1, 1-6, 4-6, 9-7, 6-4) displaces M. Bertram for the first place. For the last two years Robbins has been awarded fourth place. N. G. Farquharson who led Robbins by two sets and 3-love in the semi-final of the South African championship this year displaces V. G. Kirby (whom he has beaten in Scotland this season).

Mrs. C. J. J. Robbins, who beat Mrs. Lowe in the final of the S.A. championship and thus provided the first instance of husband and wife being champions in the history of South African lawn tennis, has moved up two places. Mrs. Heine Miller retains first place for the third year in succession.



FRANK SOO.

## CHINESE PLAYER FOR LEAGUE I

Frank Soo, a 19-year-old Chinese footballer, who played for Stoke City against Middlesbrough a fortnight ago, is the first Chinese to play in English League football.

He is an inside-left, and when he stepped on the field at Middlesbrough he realised the ambition of his life, for since a small boy he has been a keen player.

Soo, who is 5ft. 7½in. and weighs 10st. 12lb., joined Stoke City 18 months ago from the Prescott Cables team. His father is the owner of a Chinese laundry in Liverpool.

He has played consistently in Stoke's Central League team, and his skill and shooting power have made him the idol of the crowd at Stoke.

Soo was born at Buxton. He now lives in the Potteries.

## DEFEATS MISS GRIFFITHS

### IN COLONY'S CHAMPIONSHIP

### K.C.C. PLAYER'S GOOD FIGHT

(By "Veritas").

More than passing interest was centred in the open singles tennis Championship match between Miss M. Griffiths and Mrs. Litton at the K.C.C. yesterday.

Miss Griffiths is the champion of the Colony's title. They met in the second round, Mrs. Litton winning in straight sets, 6-3, 6-2.

In contradiction to the scores, Miss Griffiths put up an excellent display, easily her best of the season, and although lacking experience, gave promise of better things to come.

From the opening rally she was forced on to the defensive, but her retrieving ability stood the test on a number of occasions, and she maintained the rallies in gallant style.

Mrs. Litton is playing as strongly as ever. She punched the ball very hard yesterday, and found the corners with telling effect. In the early stages she made Miss Griffiths' backhand the target of her attack, and when the Kowloon player began to cover this hand, cleverly switched over and drove deep and hard to the forehand court.

### LEAD HARD WON.

Although Mrs. Litton took a 2-1 lead in the first set, she nearly lost the second game. She was love-40 down on her own service, whilst Miss Griffiths went out to 40-love in the third.

Whilst Mrs. Litton remained on the baseline, Miss Griffiths was invariably able to find her own in driving rallies, but the champion cleverly mixed her game, introducing an adroit drop shot and quite frequently advancing to the net, from where she made few mistakes.

Miss Griffiths offered less resistance in the second set because she was beginning to feel the exertions of the first, but she did not give up without a struggle, and had she been in the position at any time to set up a determined offensive, would probably have won several more games.

## Presentation Of Tennis Trophies

### AT THE C.R.C. TO-DAY

The official ringing down of the curtain on the 1933 tennis league season will take place this afternoon at Causeway Bay, when the Chinese Recreation Club are holding their annual "At Home".

The programme includes the final of the open mixed doubles championship, and the presentation of League trophies together with C.R.C. club tournament awards.

Lady Peel will present the prizes, and His Excellency the Governor (Sir William Peel) will also be present.

### UNIQUE PERFORMANCE.

This year the Chinese Recreation Club accomplished the unique performance of winning every trophy in the tennis league, carrying off the championships of the A, B, and C Division as well as the Mixed Doubles.

Further success appears likely to come to the club during the afternoon, when M. W. Lo and Mrs. Litton, the holders, play L. Goldman and Mrs. Lochner in the final of the mixed doubles championship.

Yesterday M. W. Lo was reported to be suffering from a rather severe cold, but it is expected that he will be fit enough to turn out to-day.

The match starts at 3.30 p.m., and will be followed by the distribution of prizes and tea.

## LAWN TENNIS TOUR

### ENGLISH PLAYERS WIN

### AT MELBOURNE

Melbourne, Nov. 21. The British lawn tennis tourists won their first round matches in the Victorian championships to-day without being greatly extended.

In the singles Fred Perry beat Ryan 6-2, 6-2, 6-3, G. P. Hughes de-

feated Frank 6-1, 6-3, 6-2. H. G. N. Lee overcame Fitchett 1-6, 6-4, 8-6, 7-5, and F. H. Wilde beat Walton 6-3, 5-7, 6-0, 6-2.

In the only doubles match Hughes and Lee conquered Willard and Woolfscott by 7-5, 5-7, 6-4, 7-5.

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# CHINESE MEET TO-MORROW

## FINE GAME EXPECTED

## AND A RECORD CROWD

### CHARITY SOCCER MATCH

(By "Veritas").

Something approaching a ground record should be established at Caroline Hill to-morrow, when, in the one big attraction of the day, The Army meet the Combined Chinese in a charity football match.

The "gate" will be devoted to the Tung Wah Hospital, and with two such excellent teams on view, a fine game is assured. It is expected that the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall will kick-off at 4 p.m. sharp.

If the teams turn out as advertised there should be some unusually exciting exchanges. The Chinese eleven, which comprises seven S. China players, and four from the Athletic looks well on paper and will probably prove even more formidable on the field.

The Army have also selected about the best team possible, with a forward line which will require careful watching.

The defence is the strongest available, and the inside forwards, Harris, Higgins and Ridley will probably cause the Chinese rear-guard a heap of trouble.

The teams selected are:

### COMBINED CHINESE.

Wong Kee Leung (S. China)  
Li Tin Sang (S. China)  
Lau Mau (S. China)  
Lai Kwok-chiu (C. Athletic)  
Leung Wing-chiu (S. China)  
Li Kwok Wai (S. China)  
Tang Kwong Sum (C. Athletic)

Wong Mee Shun (S. China)  
Ho Na Keung (C. Athletic)  
Tam Kong Pak (S. China)  
Li Hung Ching (C. Athletic)  
Reserves: Mak Shiu Hon (C. Athletic), Tong Kwan (S. China), Leung In Chan (S. China), Au Kim Fung (C. Athletic).

### THE ARMY.

L/Bdr. Combe (R.A.)  
L/Bdr. Allan (R.A.)  
Pte. Morrison (S.W.B.)  
Pte. Wallace (S.W.B.)  
L/Cpl. Cork (Lincoln)  
Pte. Podmore (S.W.B.)  
L/Cpl. Baldry (Lincoln)  
Pte. Harris (S.W.B.)  
Pte. Higgins (Lincoln)  
L/Cpl. Ridley (Lincoln)  
L/Cpl. Hocquard (Lincoln)  
Reserves: L/Cpl. Mullane (S.W.B.), L/Bdr. Pardoe (R.A.), Gunner Greenhields (R.A.), Referee: Captain E. Inguis, R.A.

### LEAGUE MATCHES.

For their match against South China this afternoon, the Club, although welcoming the return of Fogwell in goal, lose the services of Robertson at right half. Boyd of the second string comes in to take his place. Otherwise the team remains as usual, with Fowler once again on the right wing.

### OMAR SUSPENDED.

### SEQUEL TO DANGEROUS PLAY INCIDENT.

As a sequel to an incident which occurred in the R. Artillery v. Young Indians second division league match last week, O. M. Omar, of the Indians, who was sent off the field, has been suspended from further participation in football until December 12. Omar was given marching orders for alleged "dangerous play".

St. Joseph's and the Lincoln who clash to-day expect to turn out the same teams which drew with East Lanes and the Navy respectively last week. The Recreio have made no changes in their senior team to oppose the East Lanes.

Tong Kwan will probably fill the left wing berth for South China. Otherwise the Chinese will be at usual strength.

### TEAMS.

Here are some of the teams which will be on view.

### First Division

Club:—Fogwell: Hynes and S. Strange; Boyd, Skinner and A. Duncan; Fowler, Dominy, Howe, E. Strange and Bickford.

S. China:—Wong Wing: Li Tin-sang and Lau Mau; Leung In-chun, Leung Wing-chiu and Li Kwok-wai; Yeung Shui-yick, Wong Mee-shun, Pau Ka-ping, Tam Kong-pak and Tong Kwan.

Recreio:—E. Marques: J. Bowon and R. Silva-Netto; W. Maher, J. Goncalves and N. T. Delgado; T. Castilho, G. Guterres, J. C. Santos and J. Gomes. Reserve:—W. Sousa.

Lincoln:—Heath: Turner and Ash; Dudley, Cork and Betts; Baldry, McGuinness, Higgins, Ridley and Hocquard.

Borderers:—Smith: Mullane and Morrison; Wallace, Podmore and Jones; Mathias, Harris, Fourty, Hazlewood and Duncan.

St. Joseph's:—Marques: Gomes and A. V. Gosano; V. Marques, N. Beltrao and F. Elms; B. Gosano, A. Ward, D. Leonard, L. Fernandez.

### Second Division

Club:—Fogwell: Low and M. Rullon; McKellar, Lowe and Gamble; Fisher, Bell, Duncan, Williamson and Sloan. Reserves:—Dunhill and Punccon.

R. Artillery:—Wood: Price and Gibbons; Collier, Worthington and Hunt; Hopkins, Edmunds, Birmingham, Knight and Hill.

Lincoln:—Deacon: Coclough and Stearns; Maughan, Vorrall and Robson; Clayton, Chapman, Tate, McGuinness and Tone.

### Third Division

Recreio:—W. Lawrence: B. Gnan and M. Oliveira; E. Silva, B. Laurel and A. P. Eca Silva; C. Santos, H. Romagosa, H. Campos, D. Aquino and D. Alves. Reserve:—C. Marques.

## Latest Hockey Fixtures

### COMPLETE LIST OF MATCHES FOR NEXT WEEK

The following is the list of local hockey matches for next week.

### FRIENDLIES.

NOVEMBER 25.

H.K. Ladies v. St. Andrew's Ladies, Sookumpo, b.o. 3 p.m.

H.K. Ladies v. Club de Recreio, Happy Valley, b.o. 3.15 p.m.

### NOVEMBER 26.

Jat Regiment v. Navy Lower Deck, Marina, b.o. 4 p.m.

C.B.A. v. Incognitos, King's Park, b.o. 5 p.m.

H.M.S. Medway v. S.W.B.s, King's Park, b.o. 4 p.m.

### NOVEMBER 27.

Lincoln 1st XI v. Radio, Caroline Hill, b.o. 4.45 p.m.

C.B.A. v. R.A.S.C., King's Park, b.o. 5 p.m.

R. A. Officers v. H.K. Club 1st XI, Marina, b.o. 5 p.m.

### NOVEMBER 28.

Y.M.C.A. 2nd XI v. H.K. Club 2nd XI, King's Park, b.o. 5 p.m.

Y.M.C.A. 1st XI v. Incognitos, King's Park, b.o. 5.15 p.m.

St. Andrew's Ladies v. Recreio Ladies, Marina, b.o. 5.15 p.m.

R.E. v. Radio, Sookumpo, b.o. 5 p.m.

R. A. Officers v. Lincoln, U.S.R.C., b.o. 4.30 p.m.

### NOVEMBER 29.

Army v. Y.M.C.A., U.S.R.C., b.o. 5.15 p.m.

R.A.O.C. v. R.A.S.C., Sookumpo, b.o. 4 p.m.

Y.M.C.A. Ladies v. St. Andrew's Ladies, D.G.S., b.o. 6.15 p.m.

H.M.S. Kent v. H.K. Club 1st XI, R.N.O.S.C., b.o. 5 p.m.

Jats v. S.W.B.s, Marina, b.o. 4.15 p.m.

### NOVEMBER 30.

H.M.S. Medway v. 5th H.K.S. Bty., Marina, b.o. 4 p.m.

St. Andrew's v. C.B.A., Marina, 5 p.m.

### DECEMBER 1.

Navy v. H.K. Club 1st XI, R.N.O.S.C., b.o. 5 p.m.

C.B.A. v. H.K. Club "A" XI, King's Park, b.o. 5 p.m.

East Lanes v. Y.M.C.A., U.S.R.C., 6.15 p.m.

## (Minor) Cricket Surprise

### WHO ARE THE CHAMPIONS—YORKS OR NORFOLK?

London, Nov. 2.

The cricket historians have just made an important discovery, which leaves grave doubts as to whether Yorkshire's second eleven can now be described as champions of the Minor Counties competition.

According to the final table, issued at the end of August, Norfolk and Yorkshire Second finished first and second respectively. As the teams had not met in the championship there was a challenge match, which resulted in Yorkshire's victory, and they were hailed as title-holders.

Since then it has been found that Yorkshire's match with Staffordshire last July, should have been counted a first-innings win and not a win outright for the Northern team.

Cricket was possible only on the first day, so that the side leading on the first innings—Yorkshire—were entitled to three points, the contest remaining a two-day match. When the table was made up







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## CINEMA SCREENINGS

### NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

"The Devil in Love", the Fox film  
that presents Victor Jory as a full-  
fledged star, comes to the King's  
Theatre on Sunday. It is the story of  
a young surgeon who proves his in-  
nocence of a murder by a willingness  
to sacrifice his own life. The locale  
of the plot shifts from the seething  
seaport towns of Africa, across burn-  
ing sands to the peaceful atmosphere  
of a mission. And with the changes  
in locale comes a corresponding change  
in the outlook of the principal charac-  
ter. In the featured role, Victor Jory  
has what is far his most important  
part on the screen. Loretta Young  
has the leading feminine role opposite  
him. The supporting cast, headed by  
Vivienne Osborne and David Manners,  
includes C. Henry Gordon, Horber  
Mundin, Emil Chautard and J. Carrol  
Nalish. Wilhelm Dieterle directed  
and the story by Harry Hervey and  
the screen play by Howard Estabrook.

### "Storm at Daybreak"

Kay Francis and Nils Asther are  
the principals in "Storm at Daybreak,"  
which opens to-morrow at the Queen's  
Theatre, and the cast also features  
such prominent film names as Wal-  
ter Houston, Phillips Holmes, Eugene  
Pallette, C. Henry Gordon, Louise  
Cloesser Hale and Jean Parker. The  
picture, a turgid romance laid in the  
Balkans at the outbreak of the World  
War, is based on the play, "Black  
Stommed Cherries," by the brilliant  
Hungarian playwright, Sandor Hun-  
yady. The stage version created a  
sensation in Budapest and subsequent-  
ly repeated its triumph in Vienna  
where it was produced by Max  
Reinhardt of "The Miracle" fame.  
The photograph version, filmed at the  
Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios, was  
directed by Richard Boleslavsky, who  
previously scored, with the "Three-  
Barrows" picture "Rasputin and the  
Empress." "Storm at Daybreak"  
is reported to have been filmed on a  
scale paralleling that of the specta-  
cular "Rasputin and the Empress," the  
colourful story requiring construction  
of tremendous sets and the use of  
hundreds of extras. A special mu-  
sical score was written for the pic-  
ture by Dr. William Axt.

### "From Hell to Heaven"

Lawrence Hazard spent ten years  
gathering material for his story  
"From Hell to Heaven," and only two  
weeks writing it. But he didn't  
realize, during the ten-year period,  
that he was doing any literary re-  
search work. "From Hell to Heaven,"  
a drama centring around popo-  
attending the running of a famous  
Derby, will have its final showings  
to-day at the Queen's Theatre with  
Carole Lombard, Jack Oakie, David  
Manners and Adrienne Ames in lead-  
ing roles. "From Hell to Heaven,"  
acted superbly by a notable cast  
which includes, besides Betty Stock-  
field, Hugh Wakefield, Clna Malo,  
Henry Kendall and Gibb McLaughlin.  
An added attraction is the specially  
written music composed by Raoul  
Moretti, who wrote the songs for  
"Sous Les Toits de Paris" and "Il Est  
Charmant."

### "King of the Ritz"

Stanley Lupino, whose experience  
has on the stage and on the talkies  
is very considerable, has never, he  
himself admits, had such an enjoyable  
time as he spent when making an  
early sequence for the big new Gau-  
mont musical film, "King of the  
Ritz," showing to-day at the King's  
Theatre. It is a very gay affair,  
acted superbly by a notable cast  
which includes, besides Betty Stock-  
field, Hugh Wakefield, Clna Malo,  
Henry Kendall and Gibb McLaughlin.  
An added attraction is the specially  
written music composed by Raoul  
Moretti, who wrote the songs for  
"Sous Les Toits de Paris" and "Il Est  
Charmant."

### "Fanny Foley Herself"

RKO Radio Pictures' comedy-drama,  
"Fanny Foley Herself" starring Edna  
May Oliver of "Cimarron" fame,  
though a simple, philosophical story  
replete with homely drollery, proved  
to be a most difficult production from  
a "settings" standpoint. The authen-  
ticity of its Early American and  
Colonial backgrounds required weeks  
of research by the art department.  
The work was doubled because the  
picture is in colour, making accurate  
data on the hues of those periods as  
necessary as that on the types of  
furnishings. In all, before the adven-  
tures of "Fanny" were completely  
told, 25 different sets had to be built.  
The result makes the picture worth  
while for its backgrounds alone.  
Splendid performances are given by  
Miss Oliver, and Hobart Bosworth,  
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### BREACH OF OPINION

TREASURY AND FEDERAL  
RESERVE QUARREL  
New York, Nov. 24.  
While official circles describe  
the reported break between the  
Treasury and the Federal Reserve  
Board as exaggerated, the Federal  
Advisory Council adopted a  
resolution to-day warning Presi-  
dent Roosevelt against currency  
with a fluctuating value.

The resolution, distributed priv-  
ately to member banks, declares  
that as long as the uncertainty  
exists as regards the future of the  
dollar, there will be no lasting  
fundamental improvement in busi-  
ness.

The weekly statement of the  
Federal Reserve Board shows  
that the member banks sold a  
million dollars worth of securities  
just as the Treasury was com-  
pelled to enter the market to peg  
prices. The New York Federal  
Reserve Figures, however, show  
no unusual changes in the invest-  
ment holdings of New York banks  
nor any indication of "bear" sell-  
ing of United States bonds.

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thau declared that Government  
credit was solid as the rock of  
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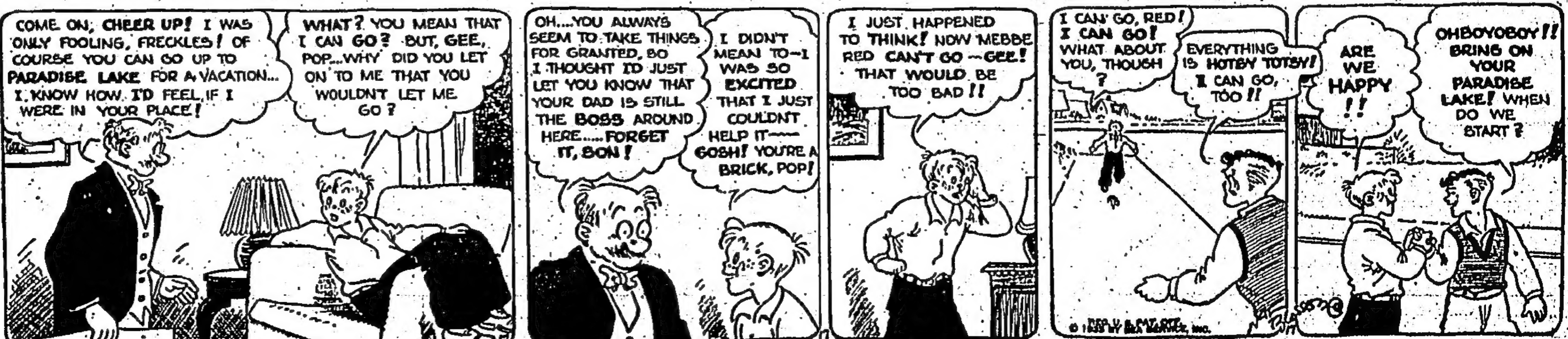
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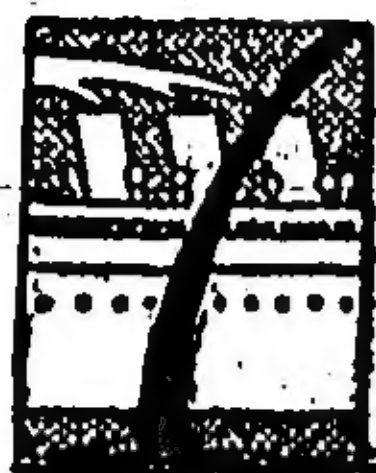
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NORTH		EAST	
WEST	S-10-5-4-3	EAST	S-4-10-2
S-K-Q	H-10-8-2	H-9-5-3	D-4-3
H-A-J	C-K-9-8-4	D-5-4	C-10-3
D-7			
10-9			
7-6-3			
C-6			

### The Bidding

The hand was played at auction.  
South passed, West bid one diamond,  
East went to one no trump.  
West then bid two diamonds and  
East bid two no trump.

### The Play

South opened the deuce, his  
fourth best club, North covered  
with the King, and East the de-  
clarer won with the ace. A small  
diamond was then led by the de-  
clarer, South properly played the  
deuce, and the Jack was finessed in  
the dummy which held the trick.

The ace of diamonds was re-  
turned, North discarding a club and  
declarer following with the five and  
South the queen. The 10 of di-  
amonds was returned and North dis-  
carded another club, declarer drop-  
ping the three of hearts and South  
won the trick with the king of di-  
amonds.

It would be foolhardy for South  
to continue with his clubs as the  
declarer is marked with the queen  
and in all probability the 10.  
South can see four straight dia-  
mond tricks staring him in the face,  
and if the declarer happens to hold  
the ace of spades, it will mean that  
he must part with seven straight  
cards and this would squeeze him.  
His proper play would be to lead  
the King of hearts immediately en-  
tailing the queen of hearts and  
stopping the small slam.

If South were to lead the six of  
spades, dummy would win with the  
queen and then run four straight

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by any means exhausted their in-  
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The king of spades would be the  
next lead by the declarer from  
dummy, overtaking in his own hand  
with the ace, and South would be  
squeezed. If he parted with a  
club, declarer's queen and 10 of  
clubs would be good. If he parted  
with a heart, declarer would cash  
his queen of clubs and the ace and  
jack of hearts in dummy would be  
good.

If South led the king of hearts,  
however, he would be down to a  
good heart and two clubs, and it  
would be impossible for the de-  
clarer to squeeze him for the small  
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Mr. Runciman, during a Commons  
debate to-day. He pointed out  
that in the first nine months of  
1933 British exports to all foreign  
countries rose from £147,500,000 in  
January to October 1932, to £150,-  
000,000 in January to October  
1933, not a very great deal, but in  
times of falling prices a move in  
the right direction.

Exports to Empire countries in  
the same periods fell from £123,-  
000,000 to £118,000,000, but this  
was more than accounted for by  
the drop of £7,000,000 in exports  
to the Irish Free State owing to  
abnormal circumstances.

He had seen in Sheffield manu-  
facturers working up to full  
capacity, able to produce a large  
quantity of goods at prices re-  
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diamonds. North would discard a  
spade, two hearts and a club, while  
the declarer would drop two hearts,  
a spade and a club. South would  
be forced to surrender two spades,  
a club and the eight of hearts.

The king of spades would be the  
next lead by the declarer from  
dummy, overtaking in his own hand  
with the ace, and South would be  
squeezed. If he parted with a  
club, declarer's queen and 10 of  
clubs would be good. If he parted  
with a heart, declarer would cash  
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NANKIN	7,000	3rd Dec.	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
NALDERA	16,000	15th Dec.	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
SHIRALA	8,000	15th Dec.	Amoy, S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
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VETERAN DIPLOMAT  
DIES IN PEKING

MR. HU WEI-TEH

Peking, Nov. 24. The death occurred here this morning of Mr. Hu Wei-teh, 72 years of age, former Chinese Minister to Russia, Japan, France, Spain, also former Foreign Minister, and Premier of the Republic of China.

A native of Chekiang, the late Mr. Hu Wei-teh was Minister to Russia in 1904. He was junior councillor on the Board of Foreign Affairs in Peking under the Manchurian Government in September 1907. He was appointed Minister to Japan in 1908, Junior Vice-President on the Board of Foreign Affairs in May 1910 and promoted to senior Vice-President on the same Board in July 1910. He was acting Joint Director

General of the Revenue Council in July, 1910, in Peking, he was appointed as acting Minister to France in November 1911.

Because of his great experience in foreign affairs his services were sought by the Republican Government in Peking in 1912, when he occupied the post of Acting Minister for Foreign Affairs in the Republican Government, pending the arrival from Europe of Lu Cheng-hsiang.

In March 1912 Mr. Wu became Controller-General of the Revenue Council (Shuiwu-chu). He was appointed Minister of Communications in July, but he did not take up the post. During the Republican regime he occupied such important posts as Minister to France, Spain and Portugal. He held the last post until November 1915. In 1920 he was Minister to Japan. He retired from political life and had resided at Peking since his return from Japan.

### COLONY'S CREDIT BALANCE

DECLINE OCCURS IN AUGUST.

Financial returns just issued show that the Colony's credit balance at the end of August was \$15,976,190, compared with \$10,204,861 on July 31st.

Revenue for August totalled \$2,047,820, as against \$1,995,887 in the same month last year, while from January to August inclusive a sum of \$23,169,903 was received, compared with \$21,871,415 in 1932.

Expenditure during August totalled \$2,367,491, compared with \$2,860,091 last year, the respective figures from January to August inclusive being \$20,041,776 and \$20,898,233.

### BRITISH TREASURY BILLS

London, Nov. 24.

A total of \$76,045,000 was applied for in Treasury Bills offered for tender to-day. The amount allotted at three months was \$45,000,000. The average rate was 19/2.80d, compared with 19/0.29d a week ago.—British Wireless.

Admiral Upham, Commander-in-Chief of the U.S. Asiatic Fleet, is at present in Canton. He arrives here aboard the U.S.S. Isobel on Sunday night.

### STREET SLEEPERS

FURTHER CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE SHELTER FUND.

Further donations received with thanks:

St. Andrew's Church.	\$100
R. Kowloon	5
R. Hancock	15
M. Lokoomall	5
Miss Blanchett	10
Prof. & Mrs. Fald	10
Ho Leung	10
R. H. Kotewall	10
Previously acknowledged	3,598.04
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,763.04</b>

Further donations may be sent to Miss R. Mow Fung (c/o Gilman and Co. Ltd.) or Mr. Li Hoi Tung (c/o Banker and Co. Ltd.).

### GOODWILL TRIP.

CORDELL HULL GOES TO S. AMERICA

Rio de Janeiro, Nov. 24. Mr. Cordell Hull arrived here to-day on his "goodwill" tour of South America and to attend the Pan-American conference at Montevideo.—Reuter.

In the matter of the Hongkong Development, Building and Savings Society, Ltd., a general meeting of contributors is to be held at the office of the liquidators, 6, Des Voeux Road Central, on Wednesday, 29th inst., for the purpose of receiving a report by the liquidators, and a summary of the liquidators' receipts and payments to the 31st July, 1933.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Henning arrived from Shanghai on Friday morning on the Empress of Japan and are staying at Repulse Bay Hotel. Mr. Henning is the Peking Representative of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

### CHINESE CHARGED WITH ABDUCTION.

ESCAPADE WITH PRETTY HONGKONG GIRL

Shanghai, Nov. 24. A sensational case came before the British Court this morning, when Thomas Lee, (21) Australian-born Chinese, a resident of Hongkong, was charged with abducting Alma To 18, a daughter of a Hongkong doctor and niece of an Australian Chinese merchant. Lee was arrested on a complaint from Hongkong and was remanded on heavy bail, pending the arrival of documents. Lee and Miss To came to Shanghai about a fortnight ago, but the girl has since returned to Hongkong.—Our Own Correspondent.

### RUBBER CONTROL.

GOVERNMENTAL BODY ADVOCATED

Batavia, Nov. 24. It is learned unofficially that the majority of the participants in the rubber conference here, which includes governors and civil leaders of the area, favour governmental intervention in the industry. Representatives from Borneo and Palembang are said to favour an ad valorem export duty, and other delegates are reported to favour a pound for pound restriction of production.—Reuter.

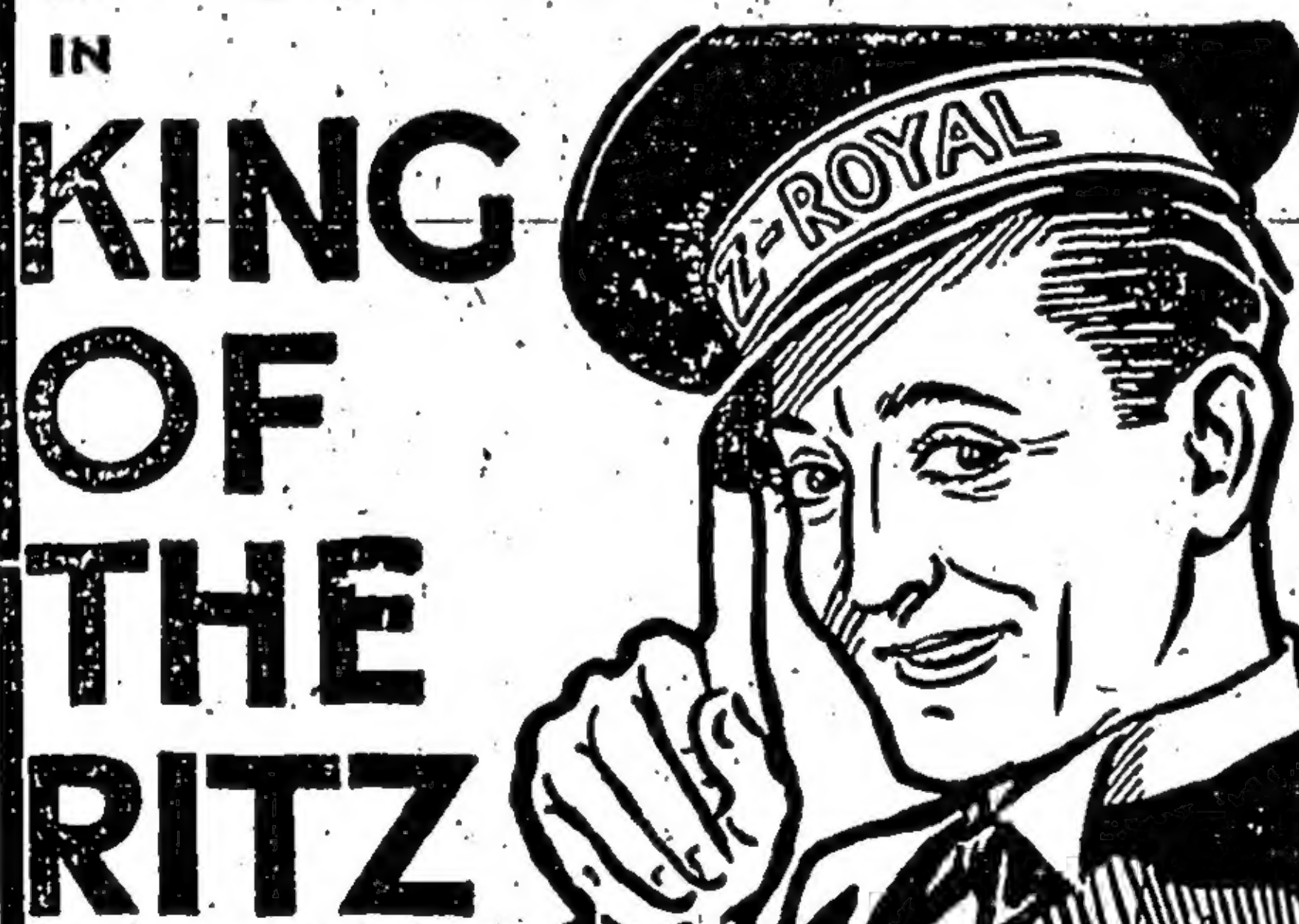
St. George's Hall is to be held at the Peninsula Hotel on Friday, January 5th.

It is notified that at the expiration of three months, the name of the King's Studio, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register and the company will be dissolved.

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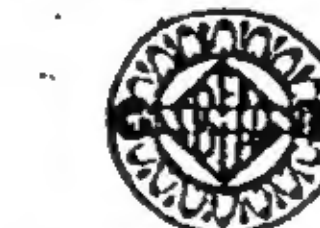
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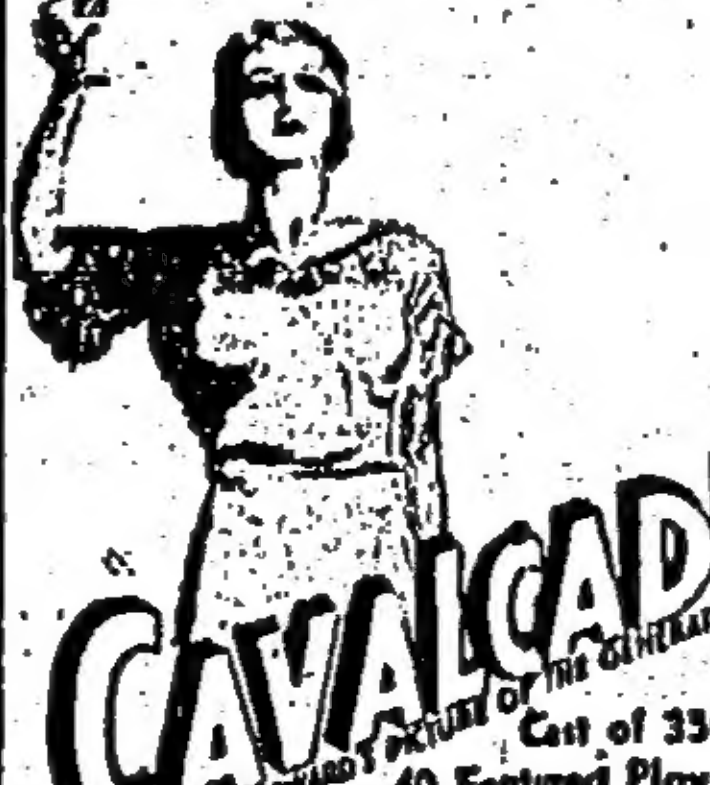
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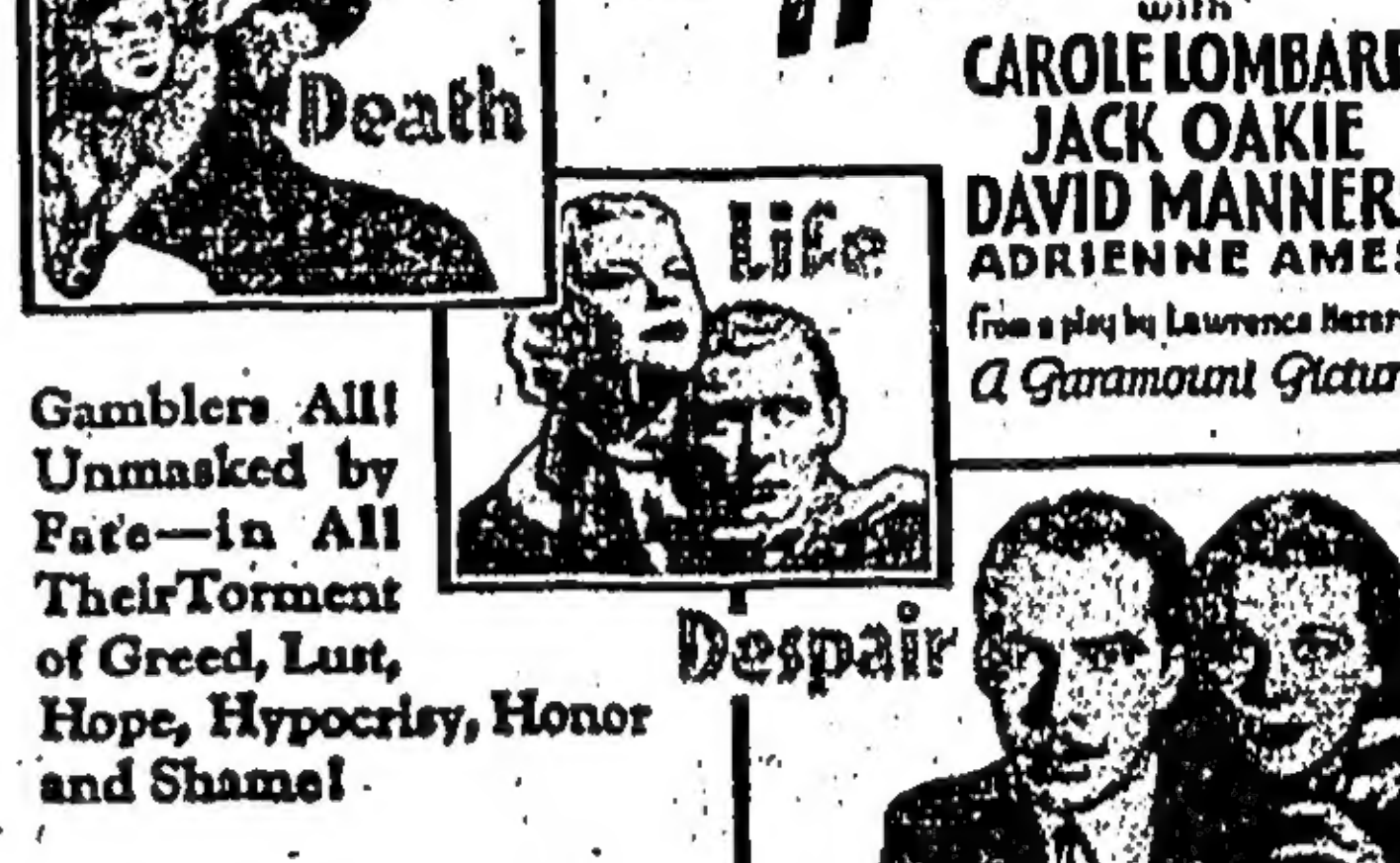
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